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KNOX IS ELIGIBLE TO CABINET PLACE

Senate Judiciary Committee Declares He May be Secretary of State.

MUST CUT SALARY TO FORMER FIGURE

One or Two Senators are in Doubt as to Making Mr. Knox Eligible.

Washington, Feb. 11.—Senator Knox is declared by the senate committee on judiciary to be eligible for appointment to the office of secretary of state in Mr. Taft's cabinet, providing the salary of the office is reduced from $12,000 to $8,000 a year, which was the salary of the office prior to the action of congress in raising it during Senator Knox's present term of office.

The committee on judiciary met today in special session to consider the bill introduced yesterday by Senator Hale.

It was decided by the committee that the main proposition of the Hale bill, which was to repeal the increase of salaries of cabinet members so far as it referred to the secretary of state, was sound. The phraseology of the bill, however, met with criticism and it was decided to draft a new measure and Senator Bacon was entrusted with its preparation.

The new bill, in accordance with the views of the committee, uses the word "emoluments" instead of "salary," in order to be in harmony with the language of the constitution.

It developed during the session that the committee was not unanimous in regard to the question of whether it would be possible to repeal the salary increase provision so as to make Senator Knox eligible for the office. Senators Kittredge and Overman seemed to be in some doubt as to the propriety of taking this action, but they will not make a minority report and it is said they will not oppose the passage of the bill when it comes up on the floor of the senate.

VETO WILL STAND.

Washington, Feb. 11.—All attempts to pass at this time the census bill over the president's veto were abandoned today by leaders of the house and senate. The house committee adjourned to meet at the call of the chairman. A hasty poll of both houses was not encouraging to the passage of the bill over the veto, particularly in the senate. The enactment of a census law for the taking of the decennial census probably will be made the subject of legislation at the special session.

CANNOT TAKE PAY; RESIGNS.

Washington, Feb. 11.—Unable to accept compensation for his services as chairman of the district railway commission, General John M. Wilson, U. S. A. retired, has resigned. His incligibility arose from the fact that an army officer, active or retired, is forbidden from receiving a salary other than his regular pay for services to the United States government. The comptroller of the treasury declined to approve the payment to General Wilson for his services on the commission.

HEMENWAY HANDS IN REPORT.

Washington, Feb. 11.—Senator Hemenway today presented in the senate the report of the committee on appropriations concerning the effect of the limitations of the secret service contained in the sundry civil bill for the fiscal year 1909, which limitation was the subject of protest by President Roosevelt.

Discussing the report in a speech on the senate floor, Mr. Hemenway today said that the appropriations for the secret service began with $2,500 in 1857, and had been increased and decreased from time to time until for the fiscal year 1908 the appropriation was $125,000, which enabled the regular employment of about sixty-five men.

IN THE HOUSE.

Washington, Feb. 11.—The conference report on the bill amending the naturalization laws was disagreed to and the bill was laid upon the table in the house of representatives today, following a lively debate.

Mr. Bennett, (New York,) from the committee on immigration and naturalization, called up the report for consideration. A storm of protests from every quarter came against the senate amendment increasing the cost of naturalization from five to ten dollars. Mr. Sabath, (Illinois,) led the opposition. He vigorously asserted that it was an unfair handicap put upon aliens desirous of becoming citizens. He was actively supported by Messrs. Mann, Prince and Madden. Mr. Mann openly charged that the proposed increase in the fee was simply an attempt to put more money in the pockets of clerks of courts.

PRESIDENT-ELECT IN NEW ORLEANS

Mr. Taft and Party Reach Southern City for a Brief Visit.

PROGRAM FOR EVENT IS VERY ELABORATE

Beautiful Spring Weather Smiles on City in Her Glad Attire.

New Orleans, Feb. 11.—At 2:35 p. m. central time, the scout cruiser, Birmingham, bringing President-elect Taft and party to New Orleans, was sighted eight miles below the city. He will land at Canal street shortly before 3 o'clock.

Port Eads, La., Feb. 11.—Via New Orleans, Feb. 11.—Although announcement was made last night that the trip of the Taft party up the river would be begun at 7:30 a. m. today, it was several minutes after 8 o'clock when the Magnolia got the president-elect and members of his party off the North Carolina and Montana and transferred them to the Birmingham, and it was not until 8:50 that the Birmingham crossed the bar on her way to New Orleans.

As the president-elect boarded the Birmingham the Montana and North Carolina fired salutes of thirteen guns and then weighing their anchors put slowly out to sea. They became mere specks on the horizon almost before the Birmingham got well under way on her trip up the river.

The president-elect was in fine spirits when he arose this morning and found one of the prettiest days of his trip, breaking on the gulf. The warm sunshine of the tropics was still present and there was a wind just brisk and chilly enough to inject life into the more languid members of the party. The denizens of Port Eads and Pilot Town were up early watching the preparations for the transfer. When the president-elect's party got under way again they gave him a farewell of as large proportion as the Passes can afford. Judge Taft appreciated the tooting of the little pilot boat whistles and smiled and doffed his hat as the Birmingham passed up the river.

NEW ORLEANS READY.

New Orleans, La., Feb. 11.—Balmy spring weather marked the opening of the first day of the visit of President-elect William Howard Taft to New Orleans. Added to the bright sunshine which followed a semi-tropical rain of several days ago are considerably higher temperatures than those which prevailed Tuesday and Wednesday when the effects of a blizzard sweeping across the northwest were felt as far south as the gulf. A slightly chilly wind, instead of detracting from the weather as a whole, only served to inject more life to the occasion and to add to the activities to those engaged in making ready reception for the next president.

Last Night Aboard Ship.

Although Mr. Taft dozed peacefully off to sleep last night on board the North Carolina, at the mouth of the river, with considerable satisfaction over completing the greater part of his journey home, the transfer to the scout cruiser Birmingham and the trip up the Mississippi river to New Orleans yet lay before him when he awoke today. Late last night the federal health officer at the Mississippi river passes made arrangements to expedite the trip to New Orleans as was in their power by going out to the North Carolina on a tug and issuing a clean bill of health for those on board. This did away with the necessity of a long stop at quarantine, together with a lengthy inspection and serious delay in consequence.

Changes in Program.

Necessary changes in the program and unlooked-for delays made the exact time of the arrival of the Birmingham in New Orleans more or less of an uncertainty and it was not until a wireless message was received to the effect that the Birmingham would certainly reach Chalmette, just below New Orleans, by 1 o'clock in the afternoon, that the fears of the anxious committeemen were set at rest.

There are several dozen committees figuring in the work of entertaining the distinguished guest, and when the hour of his arrival was once and for all time definitely settled, the following official program was issued for the benefit of the several thousand committeemen:

11 a. m.—River reception committee will report on board the steamer eneral John Newton at the head of Canal street. Meeting United States steamship Birmingham, and receiving official party and escorting to head of Canal street.

2 p. m.—Committee on land reception will report at landing head of Canal street, forming double rank a wide lane through which Mr. Taft and party will be escorted to carriages. Mrs. Taft will be escorted to

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Royal Kinsmen Who Rule Two of Earth's Greatest Nations Having Cordial Visit That Means Much

THE ROYAL CASTLE IN BERLIN WHERE KING EDWARD AND QUEEN ALEXANDRA WILL STAY.

WILLIAM II, EMPEROR OF GERMANY.

KING EDWARD VII. FROM PAINTING BY MR. TENNYSON COLE. FROM THE SPHERE

PRESIDENT STARTS FOR BIRTHPLACE OF LINCOLN

Will Deliver Address at Old Home of Martyr in Kentucky.

Washington, Feb. 11.—Beginning the last extended trip he will make as chief executive of the United States, President Roosevelt will leave Washington by special train at noon today for Hodgenville, Ky., where tomorrow he will do honor to the memory of Abraham Lincoln at the heroic war president's birthplace.

Accompanying the president will be Mrs. Roosevelt, Miss Roosevelt, Secretary of War Wright, Secretary Loeb, Surgeon General Rixey, Captain A. W. Butt, T. H. Netherland, of the executive office, and O. T. Boyd, of the Pennsylvania railroad.

The presidential party is due to arrive at Hodgenville, which is several miles from the railroad, about noon Friday. After the exercises they will return immediately to Washington, arriving here early Saturday after-

The presidential train pulled out of the Union station at 11:55 o'clock. A small crowd gathered at the station and watched the president's departure.

PASSES BALTIMORE.

Baltimore, Md., Feb. 11.—President Roosevelt's special train passed through Baltimore on the way west at 12:50 p. m.

REACHES HARRISBURG.

Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 11.—President Roosevelt's train arrived at Harrisburg at 3:10 p. m. and left at 3:15. He shook hands with a number of persons.

FINE WEATHER PROMISED.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 11.—In view of the interest taken in the Lincoln centenary celebration tomorrow at Hodgenville, District Forecaster F. G. Walz today issued the following special weather forecast:

For Kentucky: Fair weather will prevail over Kentucky tonight and Friday. The temperature will rise gradually and register about 50 degrees Friday. Cloudiness will set in by Friday afternoon.

GOVERNOR SIGNED BONDS FOR OLD VINCENNES

Mr. Marshall Keeps His Word, No One Having Made Objection.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 11.—No one having acted on his notice to interfere by means of an injunction or restraining order, Governor Marshall today signed the Vincennes University bonds, according to an act of the general assembly of 1907. The issue was made to take the place of a former issue, in which a clerical error was discovered.

The total issue was for $120,548 in 129 bonds of $1,000 each and one for $548. The bonds were drawn to reimburse the university for the sale of lands to which the university authorities laid claim.

NEW PLACE CARRIES A SALARY RAISE TO $15,000

N. W. Gilbert Advances to Secretary of Education in Philippines.

Washington, Feb. 11.—The promotion of Newton W. Gilbert, of Fort Wayne, from commissionership in the Philippines to the place of secretary of education in the islands carries with it an increase in salary from $7,500 to $15,000 per year. The nomination of Mr. Gilbert was sent to the senate by President Roosevelt late Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Gilbert, who resigned his place in congress as the representative of the Twelfth Indiana district to become judge of the court of first instance in the Philippines, went to the orient three years ago, and his rise in public life has been very rapid. In August last he was appointed by President Roosevelt as a member of the Philippine commission at an annual salary of $7,500. The new appointment is merely an advance in rank on the commission that carries with it additional duties and doubles the former salary.

WILL MEET TONIGHT.

Session of the Commercial Club's City Improvement Committee.

A special meeting of the commercial club's city improvement committee will be held this evening at the club rooms. This is the committee named to act with the city park board in devising and promoting plans to beautify Fort Wayne, and it is composed of Messrs. H. C. Rockhill, C. H. Worden, C. R. Lane, L. F. Curdes and A. E. Carroll.

MAY LOCATE IN SOUTH.

A. M. Tyler Secures Option on Hotel in Louisiana.

A. M. Tyler arrived home Wednesday night from a southern trip, in the course of which he was investigating hotel conditions in the south. Mr. Tyler, whose lease of the Wayne expires early in March, has secured an option upon a leading Louisiana hotel, and may conclude to locate there.

BULLETIN.

Washington, Feb. 11.—The senate has passed the house resolution making tomorrow a legal holiday in the District of Columbia and the territories on account of Lincoln's birthday.

The president's proclamation will be issued immediately upon official notification of the action of congress.

Miss Jane Glenn, of Huntington, was visiting with relatives in the city yesterday.

CITY PLANS LOOKED OVER BY BOARD OF WORKS

Members Understand That Railroads Will Do Their Work.

Members of the board of works spent some time with City Civil Engineer Frank Randall this morning looking over his plans for the city's portion of the work of track elevation, which are nearing completion and which will be ready in two weeks when the thirty days given the railroad companies to file their plans and specifications will have expired.

The details were thoroughly gone over and explained and the engineer will put on the finishing touches and will be ready at the expiration of the time limit.

The city officials have been given to understand that there will be no opposition on the part of the Pennsylvania and Wabash companies so far as submitting plans is concerned and that both corporations will be on hand with their portion of the work completed at the time set for the next hearing before the board of public works.

City Routine Matters.

The board of public works will hold its regular mid-week meeting tonight with only a small amount of routine matters to be disposed of. Bids will be received for the construction of a sewer in the alley north of Scott avenue.

The Brackenridge street paving matter will come up again for consideration, but it is not likely that any settlement of the muddle will be arrived at and another postponement is probable.

THREE DIE IN BIG FIRE.

Wabash Railway Warehouse in Chicago Burns.

Chicago, Feb. 11.—Two bodies were recovered today from the ruins of the Wabash railroad warehouse which burned last night with a loss of $500,000. A third body is believed to be hidden by the debris. One of the bodies recovered was partially identified as that of Thomas Malone, a watchman. Malone is supposed to have lost his life in an endeavor to reach the fire alarm box in the building after the fire had gained great headway.

LAD APPEARS TO BE CRAZY.

Convoy Marshal is Looking for Friends of Herbert Kirby.

Herbert Kirby is in custody of the town marshal at Convoy, O., and the officer is looking up his friends. Kirby arrived at Convoy this morning, is about eighteen years old and can tell nothing of himself and his name was obtained from him with the greatest difficulty

END OF ANTI-JAP AGITATION COMES

The California Senate Votes Down Measure to Submit Issue to the People.

CHOKE DEBATE ON GILLETT MESSAGE

This, Together With Action of House, Puts End to Trouble at Present.

Sacramento, Cal., Feb. 11.—Senator Mare Anthony's bill submitting the question of Asiatic immigration to a vote of the people was defeated today by a vote of 22 to 12.

Upon a point of order raised in the senate today, debate upon the message of Governor Gillett advising that no anti-alien legislation be adopted at this session of the legislature was shut off and the subject will probably not be revived.

HISTORY OF THE MEASURES.

Sacramento, Cal., Feb. 11.—The anti-Japanese measure defeated yesterday in the California legislature has been the sensation of two legislatures.

It was first introduced at the session two years ago by Grove L. Johnson, of Sacramento, ex-congressman from this district and a member of the state law-making body for many years.

It was framed at the request of the San Francisco board of education, after the latter had passed a resolution barring Japanese children from the schools attended by white scholars and assigning them to the institutions attended by Chinese. The law specified that Mongolians and Indians should be segregated and the board's action was based on the contention that the Japanese belonged to the Mongolian race. This the Japanese denied as strenuously. The Japanese government protested to President Roosevelt and the members of the school board, headed by the then mayor, Eugene E. Schmitz, were summoned to a conference at Washington by President Roosevelt.

President Takes a Hand.

The president sent an urgent message to the governor and the legislature of this state asking that the bill be withdrawn, at least for the period of two years, assuring them that in the meantime a treaty would be negotiated with Japan to do all in its power to restrict Japanese immigration and alleviate the condition protested against by the Japanese and Korean exclusion league of California, as well as numerous labor leaders.

Assemblyman Johnson, when he presented it again on the first day for the presentation of bills at this session, stated that he had done so without prompting by the Asiatic Exclusion league or any other organization. So soon as the Japanese heard the news of the revival of the bill, Japan made representations to Washington

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BRITISH SOVEREIGN UNDER CARE OF PHYSICIAN

Edward Suffers Attack of Bronchial Catarrh in German Capital.

Berlin, Feb. 11.—King Edward is suffering today from an attack of bronchial catarrh and according to a local newspaper he has called in consultation a German physician, who ordered him to remain in his room until he was better. In spite of this, however, the king had luncheon with the officers of the Dragoon regiment, of which he is honorary colonel. This was one of the functions scheduled for today. It had been planned also that the king go in an automobile to Potsdam this morning to lay a wreath on the tomb of his sister, the mother of Emperor William, but this part of the program was not carried out owing to cold weather and the high wind prevailing.

POLICE ARE INVESTIGATING.

Furniture Firm Said to Have Been Worked on Bad Check.

The police have been investigating a report that a local furniture concern was worked on Tuesday by a man with a bad check who bought a big bill of furniture and offered it in payment. It is said to have been accepted and a difference of a few dollars paid in cash.

The furniture was to have been delivered on South Lafayette street, but the driver found a vacant lot at the number designated. The matter has been kept quiet and if any of the dealers got stuck they have pocketed their loss and are keeping the deal secret.

OPTION REPEAL AT FINAL STAGE

Proctor-Tomlinson Bill is on Its Passage in the House.

KLECKNER MEASURE ALSO REPORTED

Fate of Repeal Bills in the House Will be Known Today.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 11.—The Proctor-Tomlinson county option repeal bill came up on final passage in the house at 3:05 p. m.

When the house assembled this afternoon it was addressed by Dr. J. N. McCormick, of Kentucky, who urged health legislation. The county option repeal bills were expected to come up on passage late this afternoon.

The senate this afternoon passed the McCarty bill by a vote of 27 to 16. The bill provides for medical inspection of school children.

THE PROCEEDINGS.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 11.—A slight mistake in the wording of one of the amendments to the Proctor-Tomlinson county local option repeal bill prevented that measure coming before the house of representatives on its final passage this morning.

The bill, according to its promoters, will be before the house early this afternoon.

The Kleckner township and ward local option bill is expected to follow the Proctor-Tomlinson incorporated town and city ward measure in the house this afternoon.

The announcement this morning that the Kleckner bill would be put on its final passage after the disposal of the Proctor-Tomlinson bill indicated that the democratic house leaders intend to put both bills up to the republican senate in the hope that one will pass. The Proctor-Tomlinson bill, they say, will be given the first trial in the upper house.

Proceedings in the House.

The house devoted this morning to the passage of bills. Six measures were passed, and one was defeated. The first bill to pass the house this morning was the Stotzenburg cities and towns bill which has been passed by the senate.

The bill which is offered as a solution of the many problems which have come up since the enactment of the cities and towns law, places Terre Haute and South Bend in the second class. New Albany, Muncie and Anderson remain in the third class and Jeffersonville and Elwood are transferred from the fourth to the fifth class. The bill will abolish boards of works, city judges and city controllers in cities of the third class, although it permits the city councils to establish such boards and offices. Representatives Thornton, (democrat,) of New Albany, and Wider, (republican,) of South Bend, spoke in favor of the bill. The vote on the bill was 84 to 1, Representative Sicks, (democrat,) voting "no."

Other Bills That Were Passed.

Other bills passed by the house today were those to require proper notice to defendants' insanity proceedings, by Stevens; to allow county clerks to retain 25 cents of the fee for hunting licenses, by Sunkel; to make it unlawful to make false statements to obtain credit, by Seidensticker; to compel the proper ventilation of basements used as stores or workshops, by Shirley, and to provide $1,000 to pay the expenses of the Wallace monument commission, by Babcock.

The bill requiring that formulas be printed on cans containing paint was defeated by a vote of fifty-seven to twenty.

The house adjourned at noon until 2 o'clock this afternoon.

In the Senate.

The senate devoted the morning to a discussion of the McCarty bill for the medical inspection of school children and for the enforcement of sanitary conditions in schoolhouses.

Senator Strange, of Marion, appealed to the senate this morning "to allow the Almighty to continue to furnish some of the healthful legislation for school children." He said there ought to be more practical and less theoretical legislation enacted. The speech was made against the McCarty bill. The bill will come up for passage this afternoon.

An effort to pass a bill vetoed by Governor Hanly was defeated by Senator Clark. The bill was called up for passage by Senator Wood, who explained that the measure is one which settles the question as to whether county clerks have a right to retain transcript fees. Senator Wood asked that the bill be placed on its passage at once, but on motion of Senator Clark it was made a special order for February 18.

The senate will honor the memory of Abraham Lincoln tomorrow afternoon when it will meet in joint session with the house to listen to a program in honor of the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of Lincoln. Francis J. McConnell, president-elect of DePauw university, will be the speaker.

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SCOPE OF TRIBUTE TO LINCOLN ON MORROW WIDE

Schools, Concordia College and Military Bodies to Honor His Centenary.

Tribute to Abraham Lincoln in the nature of celebrations of the century of his birth on tomorrow will be wide in scope, permitting practically everybody to attend some sort of anoccasion arranged in the honor of the martyred president. Besides the gathering at Library hall, there will be special exercises in practically all the public schools, in many of the Catholic and Lutheran schools and a special program has been arranged to be rendered tomorrow evening in the auditorium of Concordia college.

There will also be quieter, yet just as sincere commemorations of Lincoln's birthday by various lodges and church organizations in the city. There are sufficient of them to imbue the atmosphere of Forot Wayne on the morrow with the spirit of Lincoln and many reverences will be paid him by individuals. Wherever Lincoln went, while mortal, he was honored in every possible manner, but on tomorrow he will be everywhere.

At Concordia College.

The four or five hundred students at Concordia college are entering into the Lincoln celebration with great enthusiasm and the program for the evening has been carefully prepared. Rev. W. E. Moll will deliver an oration on Lincoln and the remainder of the program consists of a recital of the famous Gettyburg address by A. Zetzer and an intertwining of drills and musical numbers. The complete program follows:

Overture .....
St. Paul's Walther League Orchestra
National Airs.... Mixed Chorus C. C.
Address at Gettysburg.....Lincoln
A. Zetzer.
Under the Stars and Stripes.....
..... A. Parks
Octet '10.
Medley National Hymns .....
St. Paul's Walther League Orchestra
Oration..... By the Rev. W. E. Moll
March of the Guard.....A. Geibel
Octet '09.
Second Inaugural Address....Lincoln
M. Carnarius.
Dance of the Elves.....Kroeger
M. Heinicke.
Recessional ..... Kipling-DeKoven
Male Chorus, '09 and '10.
Finale .....
St. Paul's Walther League Orchestra

The Day in Public Schools.

Following a plan mapped out nearly a month ago, the pupils of all but two of the city's public schools will have an opportunity of hearing special talks and addresses upon the life of Linc... from some capable and well known speaker from this city. The plan was to have the principals of the various schools invite certain speakers to appear before their pupils tomorrow and in only a few cases were the invitations declined and then only for imperative reasons.

The McCulloch and South Wayne schools are the two in which there will be no special speakers, as there are only the first four grades in those buildings and the pupils are not able to readily comprehend a lengthy talk. In these buildings, the day will be given over to songs, recitations and drills.

The speaker at the high school at the chapel services at 8:50 in the morning will be Hon. E. G. Hoffman. A program of patriotic songs by the students and the glee clubs has also been arranged.

The pupils of the Clay school will be permitted to hear Rev. J. F. Vichert in the afternoon, from 2 to 3 o'clock, and a program to be carried out by the pupils will conclude the afternoon.

Rev. H. B. Master will address the Hamilton school pupils and there also the pupils will carry out a program of songs and drills. Dr. H. T. Sell, of the Plymouth Congregational church will appear before the Harmer school pupils in the afternoon.

The upper grade pupils of the Holton avenue school will have an opportunity of hearing Attorney Harry G. Hogan in the afternoon. Rev. Frank M. Fox will address the Hoagland avenue pupils in the auditorium of the Third Presbyterian church, of which he is pastor.

From 3 to 4 o'clock in the afternoon Rev. J. F. Vichert will address the Jefferson school pupils and Rabbi Ettieson will appear before the students at the Normal school.

Addresses at the Franklin school at 10 o'clock in the morning and at the Hanna school at 2 o'clock in the afternoon will be given by Capt. Ivers Leonard.

Rev. W. P. Shamhart, of the West Creighton avenue Church of Christ, will at 2 o'clock in the afternoon address the Miner school pupils and Attorney W. N. Ballou will appear before the Rudisill school at the same time.

The Nebraska school pupils will adjourn to the Bethany church, where an address is to be made by Rev. C. A. Rowand.

All the pupils of the Washington school v... be assembled in two rooms, one division to be addressed by C. S. Bash and the other by B. Paul Mossman.

At the old high school building the pupils of the seventh and eighth grades of the Bloomingdale school will be addressed by Dr. D. W. Moffat; of the sixth grade by Charles M. Niezer, and of the fifth grade by C. S. Bash. The pupils of the first four grades in the old Bloomingdale building will listen to Rev. Frank Lenig.

Hon. Charles McCulloch will address a joint gathering of the pupils of schools 7 and 8, of Aboite township. J. McBeth Smith will address the Adams township schools, and Hon. E. G. Hoffman will make his second talk of the day before the pupils of the three schools of St. Joseph's township and of the Reformed Church Orphans' home in the auditorium of the latter place. A joint celebration will be held by the Wayne township school and the Allen County Orphans' home.

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MRS. AUGUST SHARPENBERG."

Mr. Maddox, a well known citizen of Fort Wayne, says:

"I had eczema in a most annoying form for over twenty years. I tried every remedy I ever heard of with no benefit; in fact they did more harm than good. Dr. Wells cured me in a very satisfactory manner and I recommend his treatment to others.

"JOSEPH MADDOX,
"65 Howell Street."

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Occupation .....
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WAS ILL BUT A FEW HOURS; DIED OF APOPLEXY

Mrs. Augusta Bergk Expires Very Suddenly—The Other Deaths.

Ill but a few hours, Mrs. Augusta Bergk, widow of the late Dr. Carl Bergk, died Wednesday afternoon from apoplexy at her home, 504 West Fourth street, at the age of 55 years, 6 months and 20 days. During the forenoon Mrs. Bergk was down town, returning home, she ate her noonday meal as usual, but was stricken a little later and death son intervened.

Mrs. Bergk was born in Bavaria, Germany, and came with her parents to America thirty-one years ago. The husband's death occurred three years ago, and there are three children surviving—Mrs. Theo. Koch and Arthur and Emelie Bergk.

Funeral services Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence; Rev. J. H. Bosch officiating.

LEWIS.

Mrs. Ira Lewis, 83 years of age, a former resident of Fort Wayne, died Wednesday at the residence of her daughter, Miss Ida Lewis, in Atchison, where the aged woman had been making her home. Death was due to the infirmities of age.

For many years Mrs. Lewis resided on Spy Run avenue, her husband conducting a sawmill north of the city. Surviving relatives are the daughter at Atchison, and a son, William Lewis, of Lynn avenue, Fort Wayne. The remains will be brought to Fort Wayne for interment at Lindenwood.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

Groman.—Funeral services of Andrew S. Groman will be held Friday morning at 8:30 from the residence, 231 West Leith street, and at 9 o'clock from St. Patrick's Catholic church.

Monper.—Funeral services of Matthias Monper will be held Saturday morning at 8:30 from the residence, 216 East Third street, and at 9 o'clock from the Church of the Precious Blood, under the auspices of the Elks and the Maccabees. Friends may view the remains at the residence at any hour after 5 o'clock this evening.

IN THE THEATERS

Miss Adelaide Norwood, who sings the role of "Butterfly" in the production of Puccini's beautiful opera at the Majestic tonight, is an American girl. Ottley Cranston, the baritone, and Miss Huston, the contralto, were heard with the production here last season.

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Manager Rice, of the Majestic, does not hesitate to refer to "Salomy Jane," which will be seen matinee and evening of Saturday, as a melodrama. That's what it is. But there's as much difference between this delightful story of the west and the average melodrama as there is between silk and burlap. Both fabrics have their use. And so, also, do all kinds of melodramas have their use, perhaps. But the Majestic patrons will not be satisfied with anything but the best. New York went wild over "Salomy Jane" when Eleanor Robson appeared there in the play for eight months, and it seems that that Fort Wayne is delighted with it.

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When Booth Tarkington decided to write "The Man From Home," which comes to the Majestic theater soon for a second performance, he did so with a definite purpose, he declared in a recent interview. That purpose was the illustration to the American people of the almost criminal danger of permitting young and innocent American girls to be practically sold to titled scamps in the old world to be ill-treated and practically impoverished by the very men who had sworn to cherish and protect them. The record of these affairs is all too fresh in the public mind at the present time and this play strikes a blow at this international traffic in a highly humorous and accurate manner.

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At the Lyric.

Interest in the Lyric's current bill, "A Texas Ranger," is not waning as the week passes by and the production continues one of the most attractive things the stock company has put on. Hundreds of people have cheered the valor of the soldiers and the rangers, have sympathized with the young folks in love, have shuddered at the Indians and have laughed at the comedy of the Chinese cook and the black mammy who tries to lord it over him. The play is a likable one and the audiences have taken to it with vim.

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Paul Nicholson, the handsome big fellow who plays "Con" Ryan in "The Girl Question" at the Majestic on Friday, the successor to "The Time, The Place and the Girl," first came into prominence by creating the Jew in the original Alice Nielson Opera company's production of "The Fortune Teller," next he played Algernon Cuffs in "The Belle of Bohemia" at the Casino, the part afterward played in London by Richard Carle, then the George Grossmith, jr. part of Cosmas Bey in the American production of "The Messenger Boy" at Daly's theater, New York, and Sir Reggie in the American production of "The Country Girl" at Daly's theater, New York.

SOLOMON MAY LEAVE HIS FENCE WHERE IT STANDS

Failed to Convince the Justice—News of the Courts.

Justice Michael Joseph Tancey could not be made to understand in his court this morning why it is that Carl Solomon's fence along rural route No. 1, in Washington township, has been allowed to stand where it now stands for twenty-five long years without the discovery until a few days ago that it is on the public highway and he acquitted him of a charge of obstructing the highway in question.

Charles C. F. Dreyer was the complaining witness and he had plats and measurements to show that Mr. Solomon's fence is an obstruction but the justice decided that people had been getting along the road fairly well for a quarter of a century and he saw no reason to make any change at this time.

Jocker Is Sentenced.

Edward Jocker, who stole several sacks of cloverseed and took them to Roanoke, where he was arrested while he was trying to dispose of them, entered a plea of guilty in the circuit court today to the charge of grand larceny and was sentenced to from one to fourteen years in the Jeffersonville reformatory.

Secured a Decree.

Mome Treuchet was granted a divorce in the superior court from Louis Treuchet this morning and her maiden name of Driesbach was restored. They were married only a short time and were unable to agree.

OPTION REPEAL AT FINAL STAGE

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No action was expected today on the Brolley bill to permit Sunday baseball.

END OF ANTI-JAP AGITATION COMES

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that it would, if passed, violate the treaty rights of that nation, and after a consultation with Secretary of State Root, the president wired Governor Gillette, urging that action be delayed again. But it was not over the school bill that the federal authorities seemed to be concerned. They did not believe at that time that it would be passed.

The president specifically mentioned as obnoxious a measure introduced by A. M. Drew, of Fresno, prohibiting the ownership of lands by aliens. As Japanese are not permitted to become citizens they considered the bill as a blow aimed especially at them. Governor Gillett sent a message to the legislature asking that the land bill be killed and this was done. But later, when the school bill, which had been quietly reported out favorably by the committee to which it was referred, called up for final passage, it was adopted by a vote of forty-eight to twenty-eight.

The president was astounded by the news and at once wired Governor Gillett that this was "the most offensive bill of all."

Walter Leeds, of Los Angeles, had given notice that he would move to reconsider the vote by which the measure passed and the governor sent another message urging the assembly to reconsider and kill it.

This precipitated a battle that culminated in a victory for the president.

REV. C. P. PLEDGER DEAD.

Spokane, Wash., Feb. 11.—Rev. C. P. Pledger, assistant to Evangelist "Billy" Sunday, who has just completed a six weeks' revival here, died today of pneumonia after an illness of two weeks.

Men's Fancy Hose

HALF PRICE

25c Fancy Hose go at 12½c
50c Fancy Hose go at 25c

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CITY BREVITIES.

On account of the Lincoln memorial exercises to be held in the Library hall on Friday evening, the regular meeting of the S. W. Stirk Circle, Ladies of the G. A. R. will not be held at that time.

Mrs. Ida Woodworth, of Geneva, Ind., is in the city attending millinery openings.

Attorney J. C. Carrol is in Monroe, Mich., on a business visit.

A meeting will be held this evening of the members of the Friar club, newly organized by a number of young men of the city. The meeting will be held in the Tri-State block, where quarters will be leased.

RABBI ETTELSON'S THEME.

"Of the People and for the People" will be the subject of Rabbi Ettelson's sermon tomorrow evening on the occasion of Lincoln's centennary. Services will be given at 7:45 o'clock, and the public is cordially welcome at these special services and also at any other services at the synagogue.

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SENSATION IS PUT IN TESTIMONY IN SUGAR CASE

Fraudulent Scales Used by Trust—Tried to Bribe an Inspector.

New York, Feb. 11.—The government's star witness in its suit to impose penalties amounting to $1,250,000 on the American Sugar Refining company for sugar alleged to have been entered without duty after the government's scale on Havemeyer & Elder's pier in Brooklyn had been tampered with, testified yesterday before Judge Holt in the federal court. He was Richard Parr, special treasury agent.

Mr. Parr told of finding holes bored in the framework of seventeen scales on the Brooklyn pier, in which pieces of steel wire had been inserted to make the scales register lighter weight on imported sugar to be weighed for purposes of taxation.

Sample of Scales Exhibited.

A sample of the style of scales used by the government in weighing sugar had been rolled into the court room. A hole had been bored in the framework, similar to those which are alleged to have been bored in seventeen scales on the Brooklyn pier, and a practical demonstration was made to the jury as to the manner in which the wire inserted affected the scales.

Parr's story of the alleged discovery of these frauds was dramatic. He told of an attempt having been made to bribe him to secrecy after his discovery that the scales had been tampered with, and of his having refused the offer.

John B. Stanchfield, of counsel for the sugar company, objected to this testimony on the ground that no officer or director of the sugar trust had known of the alleged fraudulent devices.

Parr, after telling of having been detiled to inspect the scales on the Brooklyn pier on Feb. 20, 1907, said he noticed that one Kehoe, who was assisting in weighing, kept his arm and one knee under the shelf in the scalehouse.

"I asked him what he was monkeying with," said Parr, "and his reply was: 'Nothing.' I then inserted my hand under the shelf and touched a foreign substance, which proved to be a spring."

Parr said Kehoe was held by the treasury agent, and that in a few minutes Supt. Spitzer, who was in charge of the pier, ran up.

"Spitzer was much excited, and exclaimed: 'We will have to fix this thing up. If you will report the scales out of order, you can name your own price and all will be right.' I told him I knew he was a good fixer, but that he could do nothing with me, and went away."

PRESIDENT-ELECT IN NEW ORLEANS

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Pickwick club, where parade will be reviewed.

2:15 p. m.—Committee on carriages will seat guests in carriages. Mr. Taft, Governor J. Y. Sanders, Mayor Martin Behrman and Chairman Philip Werlein will occupy the first carriage.

2:18 p. m.—Colonel John P. Sullivan, grand marshal, will put parade in motion.

3:15 p. m.—Committee on public reception will meet Mr. Taft's carriage at city hall and escort him to platform.

3:30 p. m.—Mr. Taft will return to his carriage and the parade will move, passing through University place, and then disband.

3:45 p. m.—Mr. Taft will be received by hotel reception committee and turned over to the hotel accommodation committee, which will escort him to his apartments. Balance of day will be confined to private entertainment.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Henry C. Stahlhut, 26, farmer, and Emma W. C. Hoffmeier, 23.

Eugene A. Bonjour, 24, farmer, and Nellie J. Botteron, 20.

Fish dinner tomorrow at the Hof Brau, 11 to 2. 25c.

Mrs. Otto Winkelmeyer, of 726 W. Superior street, received word yesterday of the death of her sister in Buffalo, N. Y.

BANK STATEMENT

Report of the condition of the Bank of Wayne, a private bank at Fort Wayne, in the State of Indiana, at the close of its business, February 5, 1909.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$35,849 65
Overdrafts	172 90
Furniture and fixtures	1,000 00
Due from banks and trust companies	9,226 23
Cash on hand	659 81
Interest accrued	1,473 74
Total resources	$48,382 33

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock—paid in	$10,000 00
Undivided profits	2,929 45
Demand deposits	2,417 09
Demand certificates	2,058 00
Due to banks and trust companies	30,895 39
Exchange, discounts, etc.	12 40
Total liabilities	$48,382 33

State of Indiana, County of Allen, ss:

I, Arthur C. Solomon, cashier of the Bank of Wayne do solemnly swear that the above statement is true.

ARTHUR C. SOLOMON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 11th day of February, 1909.

[Seal.] F. A. EMRICK, Notary Public.

My commission expires October 8, 1911.

CITY BREVITIES.

W. E. Clark, of Allen county, is now at Kentland, the guest of F. L. Bondurant, who recently sold his extensive farm southwest of Fort Wayne and located near Kentland. Mr. Clark writes that Mr. Bondurant is pleasantly located and will soon have one of the finest farms in Indiana. Mr. Clark is so favorably impressed with that section of Indiana that he thinks of investing in a 600-acre farm there.

The Women's Relief corps has moved into its new hall at 1021 Calhoun street, and the meeting Friday evening will begin at 7 o'clock promptly, an account of the Lincoln exercises at Library hall.

Mrs. Joseph Stanbury, of East Wayne street, who has been an invalid for the past three years, and who has been a patient at the Lutheran hospital for the past eight months, has been removed to her home. Her friends will regret to know that her condition shows little or no improvement.

The Swastika Dancing club will give its third reception and dance on Thursday evening at the Grand academy, a five-piece ladies' orchestra furnishing the music.

Children's Winter Tams

HALF PRICE.

50c Tams go at.....25c
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The Woman's League Annual Class in Demonstrative Cooking will begin Friday evening, Feb. 12th, at the High School Building. Course, $3.50. Miss Adams, instructor. Send names to Mrs. LeRoy Hartzler. Phone 1518. Tues-Thurs

All Fancy Neckwear

HALF PRICE.

25c Fancy Neckwear.....12½c
50c Fancy Neckwear..... 25c
75c Fancy Neckwear.....37½c
$1.00 Fancy Neckwear..... 50c
$1.50 Fancy Neckwear..... 75c

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LEGAL HOLIDAY

The National Banks and Trust Companies of Fort Wayne, will be closed for business on Lincoln's birthday, Friday, February 12, 1909.

FT. WAYNE CLEARING HOUSE ASSOCIATION, By Paul F. Kuhne, Mgr.

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25c Suspenders go at.....12½c
50c Suspenders go at.....25c
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All Boys' Suspenders HALF PRICE.

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ATTENTION, BOWSER AND WESTERN GAS MEN!

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"FRATERNALISM" HIS TOPIC.

Supreme Vice President of Loyal Americans Addressed Gathering.

W. A. Holman, of Decatur, Ill., the supreme vice president of the national organization of Loyal Americans, used "Fraternalism" as the topic for his address before the meeting of local and Kendallville members of that body in the K of P. home last night. Fifty members of the Kendallville lodge made a trip to the city in a special car, returning at 11:30 o'clock last night. The visiting degree team conferred rites upon a class of local candidates, following which a most appetizing luncheon was served.

Mr. Holman has made visits to a number of Loyal American lodges about the country and he says that none have satisfied him better than the Fort Wayne one. He gives the local workers the credit of putting all their enthusiasm into the work and of realizing what a perfect organization means.

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Loss of hair is caused by the scalp drying up, or losing its supply of moisture or nutriment; when baldness occurs the scalp has simply lost all its nourishment, leaving nothing for the hair to feed upon (a plant or even a tree would die under similar conditions.)

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Northern Indiana News and Gossip

The Waterloo Press is fifty years old.

John Dunlap, 83, a pioneer resident of Mentone, is dead.

Valparaiso has been given an additional letter carrier.

Mrs. George S. Meely, 69 years of age, is dead at Columbia City.

St. Paul's Catholic congregation at Marion will establish a parochial school.

Interurban service will soon be established between Warsaw and Mentone.

The Wilder Chair company at Warsaw has been reorganized and will start its factory again.

Fish are dying in large numbers in the river at Bluffton, and nobody is able to explain the cause of it.

Meat markets at Hartford City are in a combination on an agreement to make no more meat deliveries to residences.

Albion is to have a creamery. A building committee has arranged for the purchase of a lot on which to erect the building.

Jasper Alexander, of Bippus, pleaded guilty to the charge of selling liquor without a license and was fined $50 in court at Huntington.

Mrs. William Goodyear is dead at Bluffton as the result of a fall sustained in September last, since which time she had been confined to her bed.

Geneva business men believe they can raise $75,000 worth of stock to enable that town to secure the proposed traction line planned to extend from Bluffton to Celina.

Omer T. Carter, a Kosciusko county boy, skipped from the Indiana Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' home at Knightstown and is believed to be walking his way back to Warsaw.

Miss Alice Jean Dunlap has been manager of the Peru office of the Western Union Telegraph company for thirty-eight years and prior to that time was in the company's service at Huntington for five years.

Rev. Robert Routledge, of Huntington, has decided to accept the presidency of the El Cristo college in Cuba. He has resigned the pastorate of the Baptist church at Huntington and will leave March 13 for Cuba.

Mrs. Mary Wright, formerly of Wabash, was found guilty of manslaughter in court at Devil's Lake, N. D., and her punishment fixed at five years in the state prison. She was convicted of having strangled Beaulah Cox, 16, her adopted daughter.

William Neal, who left thirty years ago for the west, and has not communicated with relatives in all the intervening time, will return for a visit at Ossian, where his mother is living at the age of 80 years. Friends here have mourned him as dead.

The handsome residence of Prof. Bailey, at Angola, was destroyed by fire Wednesday morning, believed to have been due to an overheated furnace. In addition to the household goods, a fine collection of Japanese curios, the accumulation of fifteen years' work, were burned.

When the preliminary hearing of the case of Dr. John H. Holcomb, of Uniondale, charged with perjury, was called in a justice's court at Bluffton Wednesday. The case was dismissed and Dr. Holcomb was at once rearrested on a new charge filed in the circuit court. He gave a bond of $1,000 for his appearance there.

Seven heirs found objections to the work of the administrator in the estate of David Shell at Huntington. The objections have led Judge Cook into a problem in arithmetic. Judge Cook found that the administrator had paid the widow, a step-mother of the heirs, $5 too much. After taking out attorneys' fees, the problem was to find a sum to divide among the seven heirs.

Charles Woll, an undertaker at Logansport, took a long draft from a bottle which contained liniment instead of cough medicine, and is happy. He says he is happy because he has not a neck like a giraffe. The liniment burned all the way down and he suffered great agony until physicians arrived. He had been suffering from a cold for several days and had purchased a bottle of cough medicine. This he placed on a shelf beside several other bottles. He was seized with a fit of coughing and blindly he reached to the shelf and got a bottle. He took a big swallow and then choked and gagged. He says one consoling thing is that his cold is better.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

What the Sentinel Had to Say About Persons and Events Twenty-Five Years Ago.

Dan Souder is doing a great business with his new typewriter.

J. Q. and Irvin Stratton have dissolved partnership in the law business.

Rev. Harry May is conducting revival services at the Free Methodist church.

The town clock got up a great motion last night and was about an hour fast this morning.

Architects are now at work on plans for the completion of the Masonic Temple. When the specifications are completed, the contract will be let. Judge Cheney will take $15,000 of Masonic Temple bonds.

Barney O'Connor will leave for Texas tonight. Barney has large interests in stock farms there.

Marriage licenses: John Roth and Hanna Yagey, Birt Elliott and Mary Jane Engle, Adam Ebert and Mary Andres.

Billy Stewart, the originator of monstrous aggregations, will endeavor to make the raise of a menagerie for spring trade.

The republicans will hold their county nominating convention March 1. The delegates will be chosen Feb. 28. Useless work.

The largest audience ever assembled in Simpson M. E. church greeted Prof. Clippinger last night. An intense interest prevails in the meetings.

The water is up to the doorsteps of several houses near the White Spoke factory, in the extreme east end. A great number of houses in Nebraska are surrounded by the floods.

Byron Holmes, a Pittsburg engineer, yesterday ran a train from Crestline to Lima, a distance of 72 miles, in ninety minutes. When it is known that the train made four stops, this is fast time.

Last Friday George Esmond lost his Shepherd dog. This morning the animal was found locked in a room of his new hotel building, nearly dead from starvation. The poor canine had eaten the woodwork to prolong life.

The gas lamps in Fort Wayne are lighted by Philadelphia schedule. This leaves the city at the mercy of the moon about 100 nights in the year. It is hoped the council will stop this codfish business, and when it makes a contract next Tuesday evening have it apply to every night in the year.

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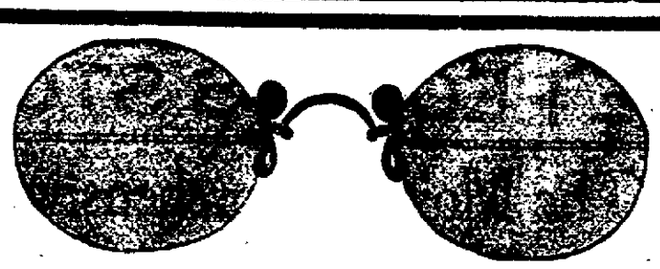

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THURSDAY, FEB. 11, 1909.

TONIGHT.

Labor Unions—Carpenters and Joiners, No. 272; Iron Moulders, No. 62; Locomotive Firemen, No. 141; Blacksmiths, No. 222; Steam, Hot Water and Power Pipe Fitters, No. 81.

Miscellaneous—Board of public works; Commercial club.

Fraternal—Fort Wayne, No. 116, K. of P.; Harmony, No. 19, I. O. O. F.; Wayne Commandery, Benevolent Legion; Knights and Ladies of Honor; Ben Hur Court, No. 96; Shiloh Chapter, O. E. S.; Rescue Homestead, No. 1405, Brotherhood of American Yeomen; B. O. B. Herd, No. 20; Paul Homestead, No. 856, Brotherhood of American Yeomen.

Amusements—Temple theater, vaudeville; Lyric theater, Lyric Stock company in "The Texas Ranger;" Majestic theater, "Madam Butterfly."

G. Hog goes about his weather matters as though he hated to deliver the goods.

California wants it understood she doesn't abate the principle of the thing a jot. She's merely made a friendly concession to the president of the United States.

Let not the nation's heart be troubled. A way will be found. The country must not and shall not be deprived of the services of Philander Chase Knox in the place fate has reserved for him. A thing like the constitution will not be allowed to stand in the way.

Dinner a la Creole, with fine old wines that have been cobwebbed o'er in ancient cellars since Gin'ral Andy Jackson whaled the everlasting lights out of Sir Edward Michael Pakenham, has been reserved for William Howard Taft in New Orleans. From which it will appear that news of his recently taking to the water wagon has not been learned by New Orleans admirers of the president-elect.

A bi-partisan combine in the Indiana senate has been discovered. The combine is reputed to be omnipotent within its sphere and as remorsely determining the fate of all measures. This may account for the ease and grace with which the presiding officer of the senate has been shorn of everything save the nominal dignities of his position and the facility with which certain doubtful measures make progress through that body as well as the positive confidence felt by certain senators in the final outcome of other measures. Combines of the sort are not unusual, though sometimes they are actuated and controlled by very patriotic motives and unselfish ends. No one, however, is likely to discover anything of the sort in any bi-partisan combine.

To meet the pressing need of reform in the matter of making public detailed reports of earnings, it is understood that arrangements are being made by various industrial corporations to have their securities transferred from the unlisted to the listed departments. It is known that the committee appointed by Governor Hughes to investigate the New York Stock exchange has this matter under consideration, and it is regarded as probable that the commission will recommend the doing away with the unlisted department, so as to eliminate the policy of secrecy maintained by numerous corporations. The committee, it is believed, will urge the exchange to compel the issuance of detailed reports, sofewhat in keeping with those made public by the United States Steel corporation.

As showing what the Panama canal enterprise has already cost this government and what remains to be paid the report made by Senator Kittredge, chairman of the committee on interoceanic canals, a day or two ago to the senate is highly interesting. Mr. Kettridge rather startled the senate and precipitated a lively debate on the comparative merits of the lock type and sea level canals. According to Senator Kittredge it will cost at least $400,000,000 to complete the canal, while the original limit of cost was $135,000,000, and in his opinion a sea level canal could be built for less than $247,000,000. He made a startling statement of the expenditures for the canal up to the present time and the probable necessities for the future. It was in connection with a report on Senator Hopkins' administration bill, providing for a $500,000,000 issue of Panama bonds, which his committee did not favor. Senator Foraker declared that he greatly regretted having voted for the lock canal, and he believed every other senator who did so would live to regret it. He had always been in favor of the sea level canal, he said, until he was told that a lock canal would be much cheaper. Now, however, he pointed out, it has become evident that the lock canal will cost much more than the sea level. A sharp debate ensued between Senators Beveridge and Curtis on the one hand and Kittredge and Foraker on the other, the first two upholding the lock type. Senator Teller followed with a speech in which he denounced the plan of building a lock canal, and prophesied most emphatically that ultimately a sea level canal would have to be built. After telling of the appropriations of the Spooner act—$40,000,000 for the canal zone and $10,000,000 to begin the work of construction—Mr. Kittredge's report took up the expenditures since that time, showing that the grand total is $170,964,000.

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Mr. Lincoln and the Watermelon

Henry M. Williams' New York Letter Relates an Anecdote of the Great President Never Before Printed.

New York, Feb. 11.—In August, after his nomination, Mr. Williams called upon Mr. Lincoln at his law office in Springfield, and then occurred the incident of the watermelon, which I heard my father tell in his dining-room in Fort Wayne in the watermeloh season, which has never yet appeared in print.

A farmer brought in an enormous watermelon as a present to Mr. Lincoln, for which Mr. Lincoln thanked him kindly. After the farmer's departure Mr. Lincoln said, "Mr. Williams, are you fond of watermelon?" which happened to be Mr. W.'s most powerful weakness, and he so stated. "Well, then," Mr. Lincoln said, "why cannot you and I eat this melon right now?" Whereupon the table was cleared of the law books, a good thickness of newspapers spread over it, the melon cut in halves, and when they had finished there was not much left of that melon—two large men with large capacity, Mr. Lincoln six feet four in height, Mr. Williams six feet two. Mr. W. came from the Virginia-North Carolina settlements (descendant of the Terrells and the Lynches of Lynchburg, Jesse Lynch Williams), whence came also Mr. Lincoln's mother, Nancy Hanks, and that bond of sympathy may have been a special reason for the invitation to the watermelon feast. "Who eats with me is my friend," and watermelon is eating and drinking both.

Later Mr. Lincoln appointed Mr. Williams government director of the Union Pacific railroad, then under very rapid construction, the Casement Bros., of Cleveland, rushing the track laying at a rate of two miles a day. Mr. Williams soon discovered that the construction was too rapid to be good and so reported to Mr. Lincoln. While recognizing the importance of speed to reach Ogden, Utah, to make connection with the Central Pacific coming from the Pacific coast and open up business for the whole country, and to carry the mails and the military, he yet felt constrained to recommend to Mr. Lincoln the absolute necessity of holding back a portion of the government subsidy for the betterment of the railroad after its opening. "Very well," said Mr. Lincoln, "I will rely upon your advice as a civil engineer, and will hold back whatever amount in government bonds you think necessary to put the road in fairly good condition afterwards." Mr. Williams' recommendation that $9,000,000 of the government subsidy bonds be held in the treasury, and Mr. Lincoln's endorsement of it, created great commotion in the New York office of the Credit Mobillier company, and Mr. Durant and the other members of the Credit Mobillier company gave Mr. Williams a pretty cold shoulder for some time afterwards, yet, recognizing the reasonableness of his recommendation they afterwards forgave him. As said Mr. Williams in his letter to the secretary of the interior: "It is all right and proper to hasten the construction of the road to meet the Central Pacific coming from California so that business may be started, and the construction may be temporary, and a little flimsy, to hasten the junction of the two lines, yet, of course, the road, with its liberal bounty from the government, must not be left in that imperfect condition, resulting from haste to open the line." The government subsidies were $18,000 per mile on the plains, $36,000 per mile in the foothills, and $54,000 per mile in the mountains.

This incident was additional cement for the friendship between Mr. Lincoln and Mr. Williams, and later Mr. Williams had the pleasure of calling Mr. Lincoln's attention to the very great financial ability of Hon. Hugh McCulloch, his banker partner in Fort Wayne, who had then already great reputation in the middle west, and suggesting him for comptroller of the treasury, who was soon promoted to be secretary of the treasury, which office he filled with great distinction, one of the ablest treasury secretaries the nation has ever had. Mr. McCulloch's recommendation to resume specie payments immediately at the close of the war when prices of all commodities were down was a remarkable example of his financial foresight. His recommendation was not taken by congress, congress and people alike being so elated with the great glory of the successful ending of the war. And then followed a period of remarkable rise in prices, and disastrous speculation up to the crest of the wave, followed soon after by the great depression when came the final return to gold basis, and thousands and thousands of business men were ruined by this second depression.

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Business Efficiency Against City Methods

If a new Fort Wayne enterprise employing scores or hundreds, or even thousands of people, is about to be organized, how do those interested go at it?

In the first place the most careful estimates of cost to establish it as an active enterprise are obtained—not by guess work, not by general say-so, but by expert estimates based on actual cost of materials and labor.

Then with just as accurate estimates as money will procure as to running expenses, fixed charges and all other costs of doing a successful business, the necessary amount of capital required is reached and that is provided for. A variation in the actual requirements of this enterprise from the original estimates of more than a very small percentage would call in question the ability or expertness of those making the estimates and might inspire a reasonable and even fatal doubt of the alleged value of the enterprise itself.

With everything else provided for, comes the selection of those who shall conduct the business or industry, from the highest officials to minor employes.

In the selection of these, one especial purpose dictates—efficiency. In every position, the one main question is: Is this the best one for this work? Not, can the company possibly get along with this one, or ought it to return personal favors by providing a place for that one.

The new enterprise exists for a definite reason—to succeed. Its success is measurable in profits for stockholders who have risked their money in its shares.

EFFICIENCY is the one dominating demand that is expected to fill every position in the business. Favor is not countenanced.

Least of all are questions of the politics of the employes allowed to be raised.

What counts are special knowledge of the business and experience or special aptitude for the work; in other words, **TRIED AND PROVEN EFFICIENCY.**

Now, when it comes to securing a new city government what is the usual procedure?

The primary consideration in the choice, election, or appointment of an official is politics.

From top to bottom city government, as we generally find it, is based on pull, personal influence and aiming for power.

It is true that capable specialists are often employed in the skilled work of the departments—but they are ever dominated by officials whose acts and policies are not founded on special knowledge or experience in the business in hand—whether it relates to streets, water, lighting, markets, public health, sewers or what not.

Now, under the present methods of selecting our local government is it not evident that however justifiable such methods may be on **OTHER** grounds, they are **NOT BUSINESS METHODS?**

They are not in any way calculated to give a city a body of officials and employes as capable of running successfully a business enterprise as are the high efficiency methods used in establishing business enterprises in the business world.

In other words, by the **VERY DIFFERENCE IN THE CONDITIONS** under which officials and employes are chosen for city government and for independent business management, the placing of purely business direction and detail in city officials' hands must always be at an unfortunate **DISADVANTAGE.**

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IN THE CITY'S CHURCHES

BAPTISTS WILL OBSERVE MISSION DAY OF PRAYER

Woman's Circle and Farther Light Society Will Give Programs.

The international observance by the Baptists of the Day of Prayer for Missions tomorrow, will be marked by a service of special interest at the First Baptist church in this city. This service will begin promptly at 2 o'clock and a special program will be given each hour for three hours. The general topic of the entire meeting will be "Advancement in Missions" and will be thus sub-divided: First—Advancement through prayer. Second—Advancement through knowledge. Third—Advancement through faith and effort. Fourth—Advancement through consecration. The Woman's Mission circle will have charge of the first hour and Mrs. Christian Martz will lead. The missionary countries to be considered will be China, Burma and Assam. The Farther Lights society will give the program the second hour. Mrs. C. A. Hood will lead and missionary work in the Philippine islands and Japan will be discussed by the ladies. From 4 to 5 o'clock Rev. W. E. Hatcher, D. D., of Richmond, Va., who is delivering the sermons at the evangelistic meetings in progress at the church, will deliver an address appropriate to the occasion.

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CHOIR BOYS' MINSTRELS.

Program to Be Repeated at Trinity Episcopal Parish House.

The minstrel show given by the choir boys of Trinity Episcopal church, at the parish house on Wednesday evening, was well attended. Generous encouragement was extended the youthful participants and the program will be repeated this evening. Their work last evening was very good and under the capable direction of Frederick G. Church, the performers had their various parts down to a nicety that was appreciated by all present. The proceeds of the minstrel will be added to the boys' outing fund, to be expended next summer, when the annual outing at Rome City is enjoyed.

Master Samuel Geake was interlocutor, and those who participated in the entertainment were DeWitt Jones, John Koester, Francis Haberly, George Geake, H. F. Jones, Robert Vernon, Alvin Kibiger, C. C. Leggett, William Morris, Valeska Doetzer, M. I. Jones, Harry Lowe, James Olive.

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CONVERSION OF ZACHAEUS.

Rev. W. E. Hatcher Gives Glowing Discourse on Chief of Publicans.

The Wednesday evening evangelistic service at the First Baptist church was heard by a large and appreciative congregation. Rev. W. E. Hatcher, LL. D., the eminent southern minister spoke eloquently on "An Undeniable Conversion," treating of Zachaeus, chief of the Publicans. His sermon was based on the text from Luke 19 chap. 8: "And Zachaeus stood and said unto the Lord, Behold Lord! the half of my goods I give to the poor and if I have taken anything from any man by false accusation I restore him four-fold." Primarily it was shown that Zachaeus exhibited three evidences of true, undeniable conversion. First, a new heart. Zachaeus as chief of the Publicans had been connected with things, now his thought is of men. In his changed estimate things shrink into insignificance. Now his heart goes out to his fellowmen and he offers to bestow half his goods for the poor and suffering about him.

A new conscience was the second evidence of his conversion. Undoubtedly as chief of the Publicans he had been extortionate and he had achieved a bad reputation among them, but now he has a new conscience and he is determined to right the wrong that he has done, anything that he has taken wrongfully he will restore fourfold. "It is easier," said Dr. Hatcher in the course of his sermon, "to be generous than to be honest and particularly when honesty involves making right a wrong already done."

The third evidence of a true conversion was a new motive. Zachaeus knew the kind of reputation he had. He knew also the charactor of Christ and inasmuch as Jesus was now going home with him, he realized that his evil conduct and reputation would bring reproach upon Jesus. For "Christ's sake," therefore Zachaeus is going to do differently and exhibit himself in a new character. Hence, his newly formed generosity and honesty for "Christ's sake" is now the ruling motive of his life.

At the close of his sermon at the request of Rev. John F. Vichert, the speaker related the story of a wonderful conversion at an evangelistic meeting he had conducted in Toledo. During the musical program, Miss Gertrude Polhamus sang "A Clean Heart" in a very impressive manner. Miss Agnes Stemen will sing this evening and Dr. Hatcher will preach. A special invitation is extended the young people and children to attend the service Friday evening when a sermon particularly applicable to them will be delivered by Dr. Hatcher. The unpropitious weather has proved but small deterrent to the attendance at the special services this week at the First Baptist church. Both the visiting minister and the pastor are highly gratified with the splendid co-operation that has been shown.

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WILL GIVE MELODRAMA.

Dramatic Club of St. Peter's Catholic Church to Present Program.

Next Sunday evening at the parochial hall of St. Peter's Catholic church the Dramatic club of the parish will present "The Confidential Clerk." It is a melodrama in four acts written by W. Ellsworth Stedman, and the scenes are laid in Louisville, Ky. The author of the production has also written "The Confederate Spy" and "The Yankee Detective." Fourteen young people of the parish will participate in the program, which has been very carefully rehearsed and promises to be unusually attractive. Special care has been taken to stage the play appropriately and in order to achieve this it was found expedient to purchase two new sets of scenery. They were secured on most satisfactory terms through Manager Rice, of the Majestic and his scenic artist, Mr. Gibson.

The forthcoming production is in itself of a rather mysterious character interwoven by many tragic scenes. The mystery, however, is happily solved at the conclusion of the fourth act, when Henry Morgan and his little daughter, Bessie, who were supposed to have been murdered, suddenly appear and put an end to the intrigues of the two villains, Maxwell and Montgomery. The dramatis personae is as follows:

Robert Morgan, a retired farmer..... Henry Arens
Thomas Maxwell, a villain..John Wessel
Frank Montgomery, an innocent abroad ..... Leo Havorka
Mike McCann, an Irishman..John Suelzer
Petah Johnsing, the colored coachman .....John Alt
Ephreham, the coachman's son.....Peter Gnau
Squire Snyder, a legal adviser..... Joseph Ueber
John, a boatman.....Joseph Ueber
Burt, a gallant detective..... Robert Freiburger
Mrs. Robert Morgan, retired farmer's wife .....Miss Hettie Heit
Miss Edna Morgan, her daughter..... .....Miss Bertha Suelzer
Bessie Morgan, the missing child..... .....Miss Ruth Heit
Miggie, a nurse girl.....Miss Rose Swetz
Police No. 37, an arm of the law..... .....Ben Harber

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BETHEL CHURCH SERVICES.

Rev. E. Q. Laudeman Will Occupy Pulpit at Evening Service.

"A Good Point of View" will entitle the sermon to be preached this evening at Bethel Evangelical church by the pastor, Rev. E. Q. Laudeman. Special music will be included in the evening's evangelistic service. Considering the weather, there was a gratifying attendance at the Wednesday evening service. The pulpit was occupied by Rev. J. J. Wise, presiding elder of the Fort Wayne district of the Evangelical church. Taking for his text "Come and Be Ye Saved," he pointed out that the salvation referred to saved the professed Christian from everything that might bring reproach to the cause of Christ and makes Him a shining light. It saves the non-professor from any degree of sin and sets him into the light and liberty of the children of God. The conditions of this salvation are repentance and faith. A breaking with sin to the uttermost and taking an unswerving grip on eternal love."

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A GERMAN ENTERTAINMENT.

Benevolent Society of St. Mary's Church Will Give Program.

Under the auspices of St. Borromeo Benevolent society of St. Mary's Catholich church an elaborate musical entertainment will be given at St. Mary's school hall on Sunday evening, February 21. Prof. Anthony Deringer, organist at St. Mary's will be in charge of the program which will be in German. All members of St. Mary's church and their families will be admitted free and invitations have been extended to the members of St. Peter's, St. Paul's and the Precious Blood churches.

The securing of new members is the object of the entertainment. St. Charles' society is at present in a flourishing condition and has a large surplus fund which is drawing interest. The society pays to its members a sick benefit of $6 per week and the dues charged are only 50 cents a month. Members who pay but 25 cents per month are limited to $3 per week sick benefits. The society also looks after widows and orphans of deceased members and performs numerous acts of charity. Recently the membership roll has been growing rapidly, new applications being acted upon at almost every meeting, but every male member of the three churches named above is urged to join the society.

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Rescue Mission Meeting.

At the Fort Wayne Rescue Home and Mission this evening, a special evangelistic service will be held, at which time Rev. William Haas, of Columbus, O., will preach. Rev. Haas has had much experience in rescue mission, prison and jail work The meeting will be open to both men and women.

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IN RELIGIOUS CIRCLES.

Chronicle of Events Among the Churches and Their Societies.

The Woman's Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church will meet on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the social rooms of the church.

The Woman's Missionary society of Christ's Lutheran church will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. P. Merillat, 1320 McClellan street. The topic of study will be "Social Evils of Islam." Mrs. William H. Shrock will lead and a special program will be given. A social hour will close the meeting, during which refreshments will be served.

On Friday afternoon Mrs. J. C. Penna and Miss Harriet Deam will entertain circle one of Westminster Presbyterian church at the home of the latter, 318 First street. The ladies will celebrate Lincoln's centenary and also the birthday anniversary of the two hostesses.

The Luther society of Christ's Lutheran church will hold its business and social meeting on Friday evening, at the home of G. A. Ohneck, 1505 Cass street.

Next Sunday evening at Westminster Presbyterian church, Rev. J. Clair Leech will deliver the first of a series of sermons on "The Social Evils of the Day."

The ladies of Grace Reformed church will conduct a sale of homemade baking on Saturday at the Union Pacific Tea store.

This evening at 8 o'clock a meeting of the adult class of catechumens of the English Lutheran church of the Redeemer will be held in the Sunday school room of the church. The third lecture will be given and likewise the last opportunity afforded those desiring to join this class.

On Friday afternoon Mrs. W. J. Vesey will entertain the Woman's Home Missionary society of Wayne Street Methodist Episcopal church at her home, 2602 Thompson avenue from 2:30 until 5 o'clock. This being the annual mite box opening, Mrs. W. H. Daniel, of Decatur, will be present and give an interesting talk. Members are urged to bring their mite-boxes.

The South Side division of the Ladies' Aid society of the First Methodist Episcopal church will be entertained on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank L. Diehl, 515 E. Leith street. The attendance of the ladies and their friends is desired. The hostess is chairman of the division, Mrs. C. J. Lapp, assistant chairman; and Mrs. C. Nelson, secretary and treasurer.

The next meeting of the General Aid society of the First Methodist Episcopal church will be held with Mrs. Charles A. Rowand at the parsonage, 332 E. Wayne street. Mrs. G. W. Lindemuth will lead the devotional and a paper will be read by Mrs. Study.

Washington's birthday Monday, February 22, will be celebrated with an evening entertainment by the Men's club of Plymouth Congregational church. Other organizations of the church will co-operate and the affair gives promise of being quite an attraction.

The unpropitious weather of Wednesday evening deterred many church members from attending the midweek services in their respective churches. Some were faithful, however, and pastors were gratified at the interest shown.

The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Third Presbyterian church will hold a business and social meeting on Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bumbaugh, 302 West DeWald street.

A meeting of the Young Ladies' society of Zion's Lutheran church will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The members of the Ladies' Mite society of Christ's Lutheran church have decided to hold a birthday party at the church parlors on Washington's birthday, Feb. 22. At that time every member will be requested to bring to the meeting a penny for each year of her age.

Miss Anna Philley will give a recital at Spencerville, Ind., this evening under the auspices of the Epworth league of the Methodist Episcopal church there.

SALVATION ARMY REPORT.

Statement of income and expenditures of the Salvation Army:

Income from January 5, 1908, to January 3, 1909—

Balance on hand	$ 8 18
By collections	793 36
By donations and special demonstrations	794 97
By young people's work	52 44
By trade	50 68
By for building fund	145 07
Total	$1,844 64

EXPENSES.

Interest on loan	$ 150 00
Fuel	98 84
Baggage, express	18 71
To Home and Foreign Mission work	180 00
Charity	58 37
Transportation	136 15
Trade	3 75
Young people's work	19 93
Salary (three officers)	580 35
Funeral fund	4 59
Printing and postage and telephone	49 40
Divisional fund	167 40
Light	125 62
Repairs and alterations	241 53
Total	$1,834 64
Balance on hand	10 00
Total	$1,844 64

ASSETS.

Property	$9,000 00
Furniture	500 00
Total	$9,500 00

LIABILITY.

Electric bill	$ 15 35
Tax bill	54 61
Mortgage	4,000 00
Sand and brick	50 00
Small loan	48 01
Total	$4,167 97

Maj. William Escott,
Captain Chas. Day,
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Mrs. Eugene Foltz, of 1332 Clay street, submitted to an operation for gallstones at St. Joseph's hospital this morning.

At 7:24 o'clock last night an alarm was sent in from the old Hanna homestead on East Lewis street, occupied by Mrs. Hayden, where a small fire was burning in the chimney. There was no loss.

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A little Whiz—water, rub, rinse and

ALL Grocers 10c

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You can save from $25 to $100 by buying one of these pianos this week. All goods are new and have not been on the floor more than six months, but they are 1908 styles and some of our best makes are included in the assortment to be sold off at a reduction.

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A pretty 69c Ladies' Long Cloth

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high or low neck; lace and embroidery trimmed, for Saturday 50c
A special of a $1.25 number, for Saturday.....$1.00

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SOCIETY

The ladies who form the Wednesday pedro club and their invited friends were guests this afternoon of Mrs. W. J. Vesey at her home. There were between sixty and seventy ladies who played pedro and enjoyed the supper which the hostess and her daughters served. The rooms were prettily decorated with foliage plants, begonias, ferns and vases of roses and carnations. Mrs. Vesey had as special guests her aunt and sisters from Decatur, Mrs. Champer, Mrs. Niblick, Mrs. Morrison and Miss Studebaker, also Miss Tillie Meinhardt, of St. Louis. Other guests from out of town were Mrs. Schlicher, of Mattoon, Ill., and Mrs. Theodore Wester, of Philadelphia. It was one of the largest and prettiest social gatherings held on the south side in some weeks.

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Miss Jessie Orr gave an informal little bridge party last evening at which Mr. and Mrs. Dean Johnson, who were in the city on their wedding trip, were honor guests. The appointments were extremely pretty and appropriate both for the valentine season and a post-nuptial gathering. The supper was served in heart-shaped pieces as much as possible, and the score cards for bridge were heart shaped. The tables were decorated with white blossoms and delicate ferns and tulle was tied to glasses and about the individual candle holders, which held white candles. There were players for three tables. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson are on their way to Los Angeles.

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Mrs. Joseph Berghoff will give an informal card party on Saturday afternoon as a compliment to Mrs. John T. Dougall, who is to leave within a few weeks for the far west.

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Mrs. W. G. Zahrt, of Hoagland avenue, gave a prettily appointed dinner party last evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Johnson. The table was done in green and white with ferns and Marguerites forming the center decoration of the table. Place cards for the bride and groom were white wedding bells. There were present besides the honor guests Mr. and Mrs. Storer, Mr. and Mrs. Worral and Mr. and Mrs. Shulze.

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Mrs. Edith Andrews has returned from a visit in Detroit

John Colchin, of Decatur, is visiting his son and daughters in this city.

Mrs. Minnie Graves Brown has returned from a visit with her sister in Toledo.

The Philomath club will be entertained by Mrs. Seelig Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Freese are in Chicago attending the automobile show.

Mrs. John H. Gilpin has returned from a visit with her mother in Atlanta, Ga.

H. Eisele, of 1851 Broadway, will leave tonight for Springfield, Ill., to visit his parents.

Miss Katie Favery, of 332 West Lewis street, has returned from a visit with his sister in Anderson.

The Nappanee club members celebrated the anniversary of the club on Tuesday evening by giving a theater party.

The Loyal Thirteen will meet with Mrs. Charles Merritt, 627 Third street, tomorrow afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock.

Mrs. Harry Lovell, of Chicago, is to be the guest of Mrs. B. S. O'Connor, of West Wayne street, during the coming week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Keller and Mrs. J. Mallert, of Liverpool, O., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Keller, of St. Mary's avenue.

Mrs. Fremont Nelson, of Lima, O., and daughter, Jessie, come tomorrow to visit Miss Anna McConnell and Mrs. J. F. Terry.

Miss Emma Lowe, of West Jefferson street, has gone to Elmira, N. Y., to visit her sister, Mrs. Edwin Ball, for a number of weeks.

Mrs. George Van Sweringen and baby and her mother, Mrs. Brown, who have been visiting relatives here, returned to Chicago yesterday.

The Do Little Pedro club met last evening with Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Shirey. Miss Agnes Mulline and Mr. Shirey won the prizes at cards.

Mrs. Martha Hanna and Miss Mary Hanna have returned from Petoskey, Mich., where they spent six months and are in their own home in West Berry street.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Johnson, who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Stoure, of Thomas street, left today for Los Angeles, Cal., where Mr. Johnson is located in business.

Miss Emma Knise, of Montgomery street, entertained friends last evening in celebration of her birthday anniversary. Prizes in a contest were won by Misses Roehm.

Rev. and Mrs. Spiher went to Wabash yesterday, where Rev. Spiher officiated at the marriage of Miss Loretta Irelan, of that city and Carl Townsley, of Idaville, Ind.

Mrs. W. S. McLeod, of West Taber street, is entertaining her brother, Jack Bomberg, of Terre Haute. Mr. Bomberg will also visit Mrs. Joseph Gaskins, another sister.

Mrs. Charles Trabaugh, of 611 Lasalle street, was given a surprise on Wednesday afternoon by a dozen ladies who assisted her in celebrating her birth anniversary.

The young people employed at the Fort Wayne Electric works gave their second annual skating party at Princess rink last evening and the large number of young men and women, including guests, attended and spent a merry time. Music was furnished for skating. Miss Della Witte and Harry Baals led the opening march of the skaters.

F. J. Schaphorst, of 730 West Third street, was given a birthday surprise party last evening by a number of friends. A delicious supper, cards and music by the Beyer orchestra formed the entertainment. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames T. Houk, E. Hodshill, E. Schafer, H. Witte, F. W. Schaphorst, O. Schaphorst, Misses Sophia, Emma, Mary, Tillie and Frieda Schaphorst and Zella Witte, Master Carl Schaphorst and Edwin Schafer.

The Asher Heure club members spent a fine time at a valentine party given on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Hengschler, of 718 West Third street. A contest of putting together pieces of valentines was enjoyed and prizes were won by Mrs. Roy Bennett. At supper the sandwiches were served in heart shaped and red was the color of a part of the menu. Mrs. William McMacken, of Beaver avenue, will be hostess for the club at its next meeting.

Miss Margaret Strube, of Scott avenue, entertained the "Bon Gre" club members at a valentine party last evening. Hearts of red cardboard and valentines formed the decoration of the rooms and were used as tally keepers and souvenirs. A supper was a feature of the entertainmnt. The club members are Misss Erma Blee, Irene Lennon, Armonde Breen, Theresa Danehy, Gertrude Mungovan, Lucile Miller, Marie Goodfellow, Helen Goodfellow, Bertha Herman, Muriel Larimore, Julia Brennan.

Miss Edith Koch, of 508 East Creighton avenue, celebrated the nineteenth anniversary of her birth on Saturday evening by entertaining the following young people at a party: Misses Elsie Honick, Anna Koch, Emma Neumann, Mary Ulmer, Frances Hoffmann, Clara Matte, Ella McVey, Martha Schroeder, Zeda Gruber, Mary Farrel and Messrs. Bert Casey, Frank Edgell, Fred Belger, Mearl Van Horn, Clifford Sinmift, Will Peek, Dick Cartwright, Frank Mohler, James Crow, John Poiry, Harry Klapham. Miss Ethel Koch furnished music during the evening.

Miss Edith Squires, of 1802 John street, was surprised by her friends on Tuesday evening in honor of her birthday anniversary. A pleasant time was enjoyed by all including the hostess, who received a number of pretty gifts. There were present Miss Goldy Densel, Iva Kissinger, Lottie Bly, Florence Bricker, Grace Hines, Clara Brintzenhofe, Garnet and Ruth Fry, Helen Blackburn, Phoebe Squires, Ida and Maud Haskell, Zella Arter, Margaret and Mary Shivers, Velda Rector, Vera Dinius and Messrs. John Butler, Jacob and Fern Crick, Amasia Arter, Otto Brintzenhofe, Leo Hines, Courtland O'Day, Foster Houck and Rollo Kissinger.

Little Alverda Honeck, of 2106 East Wayne street, entertained a company of small friends yesterday afternoon in celebration of her third birthday anniversary. A peanut hunt was one of the things the children enjoyed and other games and music, dancing and a good supper were also a part of the good time. Each child received a valentine. The children present were Christina, Louis and Dolly Nebro, Robert and Lillian Lauer, Mary Baumert, Margaret Irvin, Robert and Louise Kintzley, Ethel Moses, Margaret and Catherine Honeck, Robert Burns and Marie Dennie. The older people who assisted in waiting on the children were Grandma Dennis, Mrs. Burns, Mrs. Nebro, Mrs. Warnes, Mrs. Kintzley and Mrs. Honeck.

Miss Matilda Junghaus, of Harrison street, entertained a number of friends at cards last evening. Those who enjoyed the pleasant time were Misses Beatrice Herman, Dorothy Klingel, Emma Beckman, Irma Crouse, Florence Rogers, Della Reider and Alpha Junghaus and Frank Gallmeyer, Warl Hains, Walter Durst, William Cunning, Floyd Hoppel, Charles Miller and George Harrison.

One of the pleasant parties of Sunday was a surprise perpetrated on Peter Roth, of 1807 Lafayette street. A few intimate friends called at that time to remind him of his natal anniversary. Pedro and a fine supper were the entertainment. Mr. Roth was presented with a number of gifts. There were present Messrs. and Mesdames Ben F. Eick, George Welch, J. J. Andree, Charles Roth, J. Metker, H. Klingenberger and Misses Clara, Marie and Katherine Roth, Irene Sauer, Magdalene and Helen Walsh.

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Norton—Derbyshire.

Miss Vera Katherine Derbyshire and Mr. Maxwell L. Norton, were married on Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock by Rev. Seamans, of Kendallville, at the home of the bride's mother, Dr. Luella Derbyshire, 1633 Cass street. There were no attendants. Miss Louise Stults played the wedding march as the bride entered the parlor with her mother, who gave her away. During the ceremony Miss Stults played "Hearts and Flowers." The bride wore a handsome gown of white satin trimmed with cream lace and her bouquet was composed of lilies of the valley and white carnations. Directly after congratulations had been extended by the relatives and very few friends present, a supper was served. The bride and groom stood in front of a grouping of palms and ferns. The bride's table was trimmed with smilax and white and pink carnations. Among the guests were the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Norton, from Cassopolis, Mich., and Mr. Allen Kingsbury, a friend of the bridegroom from the same city. This morning the bride and groom left for a few days' visit at Michigan points, and after Feb. 20 they will be at home in this city, with the bride's mother, with whom Mr. Norton will be associated in business. For traveling the bride wore a stone green tailored suit with hat of satin braid with trimmings of old rose.

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Country Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Stanton, who live six miles west of the city on the Huntington road gave a party Saturday evening that was much enjoyed by a company of ladies and gentlemen. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. James Parnin, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pfeiffer, Mr. and Mrs. August Sephel, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Haines, Mrs. Jay Trautman, Mrs. DeLong, Mrs. Horstmeyer, Mrs. Lucy Phillips, Misses Tillie Buecker, Clara Christie, Louise Martin, Myrtle Byers, Ethel Hatfield, Evelyn and Lucy Pfeiffer, Grace and Gertrude Stanton, Ella and Edna Zitzman, Rosella and Grace Blee and Messrs. Carl and Edward DeLong, Otto and Louis Horstmeyer, John and Carl Christie, Charles, Will and Ed Black, Will Buecker, Nicholas Kaough, Marcelius Dinius, Will Highland, Wayne Cartwright, Harley Haag, Howard Coleman, Arthur Raunner, Dolan Blee, Ralph Parker, Charles McCulloch and Ivory Pfeiffer.

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"She has never used powder or paint, but makes a solution by dissolving an original package of mayatone in eight ounces of witchhazel, and massages her face, arms and neck twice a day with it. This does not show upon the skin; removes all sorts of blemishes, and prevents the growth of hair.

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Eyelet Embroidery Frock

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Sentinel's Cook Book

Raspberry Cream.

Soak a half box gelatine in cold water to cover for half an hour. Then stand over boiling water until dissolved. Add a half cup sugar and a pint of raspberry juice, strain, set in a pan of cracked ice and stir until thickened. Add a pint whipped cream, and mix thoroughly. Pour in a mould and set in a mixture of ice and salt to harden.

Pistache Ice Cream.

Blanch two ounces of pistache nuts as you would almonds, remove the skins, then pound to a paste in a mortar. Add to a quart of vanilla cream, flavor with a little orange flower water, then pack in ice and salt. The pistache paste may be purchased at the confectioner's if preferred.

Coffee Frappe.

Coffee frappe is delicious and refreshing. It is served in glasses with a spoonful of whipped cream on top. A quart will serve twelve people. If used in a course luncheon or dinner, it follows the last entree and precedes the game. Pour one quart of boiling water over four ounces of fine ground Java coffee. Cover, let it simmer ten minutes; strain through cheesecloth, and add six tablespoonfuls of sugar. When cold pour into the freezer and begin to freeze. As it begins to thicken, add the whites of two eggs beaten to a stiff froth, freeze five minutes longer, remove the beater, cover and let it stand fifteen or twnty minutes before serving.

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GAMES FOR VALENTINE PARTIES.

Among the games suited to Valentine parties is a heart hunt, in which little candy hearts are hidden in every nook and corner. Each child is furnished with a heart shaped bag or box and starts on a journey to find the hidden hearts. A game for older persons consists of a curtain screen, behind which stand all the ladies of the party. There are openings at equal distances through the middle of the screen and these are numbered. Through these ladies' hands, devoid of rings, are extended and the men, provided with pencils and note books, are required to guess the names of the owners of the hands, according to the number. This data they put in their note books.

Then the men and women exchange places, the curtain coming down just to the ankles of the men. Above each pair of feet is a number. The women on the other side guess the owners of the feet and write the names opposite the numbers.

At the conclusion the men who guessed correctly the greatest number of hands and the women who knew the greatest number of feet receive Valentine prizes.

For small children the game of heart target makes plenty of fun. To make it, give each child a small dart about four inches in length, made from cardboard, with a small sharp tack in the end.

Have pinned on the wall a large red paper heart and let each child throw his dart, aiming for the center of the heart. The one who comes the nearest gets the prize.

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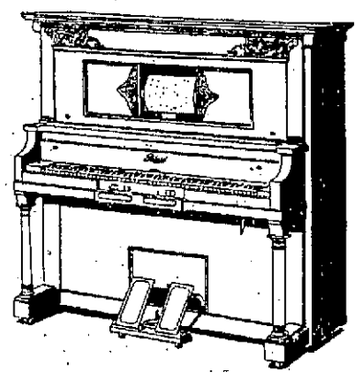

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MANAGEMENT NOT IN ANY STEW ABOUT CONTRACTS

Just Waiting to Hear from the Players About Terms.

Owner Claude H. Varnell and Manager Jack Hendricks were in consultation here today about matters pertaining in a general way to the make-up of the club for next year, but they are not stewing about contracts as both believe they will have little trouble lining up their players. There is a feeling among the men that they will be better treated here than any place else and it exercises a great influence when it comes to affixing their names to playing agreements.

That hole in the outfield is worrying both of them to some extent, but they are holding off in the hope of getting Elston and in event he is not allowed to return to class B the management has an ace in the hole to uncover when it is time. Elston still insists that he wants to play here and it will be only a short time until he will know what disposition will be made of him.

Orders have been sent out to the players to report here the latter part of March and the early spring schedule assures that if the weather department uses good judgment in the brand furnished during the month of April that some high-class talent will be seen on the local lot. By the way Jack Hendricks enjoys the distinction of being the only minor league manager who ever had a team that trimmed the Cubs. Two years ago at Springfield, O., with Dal Heiderman going good the Central leaguers copped a practice game from the champions.

Charles F. Brotherton, the new owner of the Grand Rapids team, at the suggestion of President Carson, has written to the local management asking for a chance at any surplus players the Fort Wayne club may have at the end of the training season. The new magnate got into the field a bit late and as the Stag ranks were somewhat depleted at the end of last season he is seeking to fill out. Hendricks likes Curt Hagerman and would give a nice trade for him in event it could be brought about, but Brotherton knows the pitcher's worth and would hate to part wih him unless he could greatly strengthen some department of his club other than the twirling staff. He would likely find some strong objections on the part of Grand Rapids fandom.

Guy Dickey and Roy Clark have both been sent nice contracts and it is likely they will sign. The talk of trading them has gone the rounds and has reached both men. This may spur then on a little and it is highly probable both will be in line in good shape.

Hoarse coughs and stuffy colds that may develop into pneumonia over night are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar, and it soothes inflamed membranes, heals the lungs and expels the cold from the system. Dreier & Bro.

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Nights, 10, 20, 30 and 50c

TEMPLE NOW
—BIG ACTS—9
Bottomley Troupe—Eckhoff & Gordon—Hathaway's Monkeys

Amateur Pugilist Who Has Turned Professional

"JIM" MACSHERRY.

GRAND RAPIDS TEAM WILL TRAIN IN INDIANA

Players Ordered to Report at Martinsville in the Spring.

Grand Rapids, Ind., Feb. 11.—Grand Rapids' baseball club is to train south this season.

Word comes that plans for the establishment of training quarters in Martinsville, Ind., have all but been completed and that the team members will go to the Hoosier state during the first week of April.

William Fisher, the third baseman secured from Pennsylvania by Owner Charles Brotherton, has been handling the deal for the local owner and from his home in LaPorte, Ind., he announces that his report—a favorable one—is ready for the Grand Rapids president. The mineral baths in the Hoosier city, as well as the considerable milder climate, will be of great benefit in conditioning the local players.

This is a radical departure from the early work outlined by other magnates who have been in charge here and shows that Owner Brotherton wishes to provide his club with the very best. It will be the first training trip of the local club.

The training season here has usually smattered considerably of a fizzle. The versatile spring weather of Michigan has made the work anything but pleasant. The cost would be but slightly, if any, greater to train in a place like Martinsville than in Grand Rapids, and those pulling for a winning club cannot but approve of the ready way in which Owner Brotherton has grasped the situation.

Contemporaneous with the announcement that Charles Brotherton, the owner of the local baseball franchise is coming this way is flashed the word that Bobby Lowe has quite recently been turned down in his attempt to secure the management of the Denver club.

Brotherton can get Lowe now probably. It seems to resolve itself into a question as to whether or not he seeks the Beaver Falls manager. Last week Lowe wrote The Press that he had determined on nothing definite. Later he declared that he should be glad to come to Grand Rapids. In the intervening time it would seem he received word that his Denver proposition had been turned to the wall.

If Brotherton wants Lowe he has studiously avoided mention of the same. In fact he has favored no manager in his advance notices, although it was presupposed that Lowe was the logical man for the place; in fact was the man who encouraged Brotherton to take this franchise off the hands of Bert Annis. Lowe has lost out on one job and another until now apparently nothing rests between him and an idle season but the Grand Rapids club. It is quite evident that he is willing to come here. Is the hitch in the price with President Brotherton?

Lest you forget, we say it yet, eat HAFFNER'S MALT BREAD.
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PRESIDENT SEES NO BENEFIT IN NEW CLAUSE

Will Oppose Waiver Unless Convinced It is a Good Thing.

Dr. Frank R. Carson, one of the most prominent figures in baseball at this time and a member of the national commission of the minors, was in Fort Wayne today as the guest of Owner Claude H. Varnell, of the local team, and took occasion to announce his opposition to a waiver rule in the Central league unless he can be convinced that it will benefit the organization.

"The trouble with waivers in the class B leagues," said the doctor, "is that there is no particular benefit to be derived and any baseball legislation that does not help along the game is cumbersome and useless. Our players are advancing rather than going backward and for that reason there is little need for the rule as I look at the thing now. Of course, it might keep some good players in the league that get away from us, but it might hurt in some other quarter.

"It is necessary in the major leagues because there is no higher organization and it keeps the players from going back until all the clubs have agreed to let them go. Of course, if anybody can point out to me where we can get any good for the rule I'll be for it, but I must say I don't look at it that way now."

At the solicitation of the baseball interests directly affected by Sunday baseball legislation Dr. Carson went to Indianapolis yesterday and was met there by Owner Claude H. Varnell. They returned to Fort Wayne last night and the president came to be in attendance at the Shamrock dance. Manager Mart Cleary stands well with the Central league magnates and it was to show his good feeling for the club that the doctor made the trip.

"Tell the truth," he said, "I have never been as free from baseball duties and other business as I am right now and I like to run into Fort Wayne right now. There was a time when the baseball fans here were ready to hang me, but I believe now they all see that I have done the best thing that could have been done for baseball here."

The president believes that there will be strict adherence to the salary limit this season and it sure it will not hurt the quality of the ball in the league. Retrenchment is general in the baseball world as the national game is now an amusement enterprise and a business venture just the same as handling merchandise. Fancy salaries will not allow the club owners to make expenses and the players themselves realize this. The doctor went down to look over the improvements at the park and stated that Fort Wayne has the finest plant he has seen in a minor league. He will return to South Bend late this afternoon.

The third annual minstrel show of the Library Hall Athletic association will be given immediately after Lent.

His Friend, Dr. Carson, of South Bend

After the Shamrock dance last night Dr. F. R. Carson returned to his hotel where he was introduced to a St. Louis traveling man who just caught the name Carson.

"Know my friend Dr. Carson, over at South Bend?" asked the traveler.

"Oh," replied the doctor, "I'm slightly acquainted with him."

"Any relation to him?"

"A little."

"Well," said the traveling man, "I would like to see him. He is a great friend of mine and when you get back to South Bend you just tell him you met me and give him my best regards."

The traveler then went along to tell about the friendship that existed between him and Dr. Carson and related a number of little experiences he had had with the head of the Central league and would probably have been going yet if somebody hadn't told him he was talking to the man he pretended to know.

He fessed up that he had been peddling hot air and bought.

DERMOTINES LOSE A FAST SERIES TO ELKS

Fast Bowling Marks Games in St. Mary's Club Bowling League.

The Dermotines put up a warm fight in the bowling series at St. Mary's alleys last night, but the Elks were in great form and took two out of the three games. To do this the winners were kept at top speed every minute the teams were on the alley and the margins were very narrow. J. Echrich was high man for the losers and fell one pin short of a double. Scheffer opened proceedings for the Elks by tabbing 228 in the first game and he got high score for the winners, but O'Connor beat him seven pins for the average. The scores follow:

FIRST GAME.

—Dermotines.—

Players.	St.	Sp.	Spl.	Er.	Tot.
J. Echrich	5	3	1	1	199
J. Alter	3	5	1	1	176
L. Alerding	2	3	1	2	147
C. Mettler	3	4	1	1	167
H. Rager	2	6	2	0	161
Totals	15	20	6	5	850

—Elks.—

Players.	St.	Sp.	Spl.	Er.	Tot.
F. Scheffer	7	3	0	0	228
E. O'Connor	4	3	2	1	177
O. Heiny	4	4	0	2	169
A. Stier	3	4	0	3	158
J. Scheffer	4	3	1	2	162
Totals	22	17	3	8	894

SECOND GAME.

—Dermotines.—

Players.	St.	Sp.	Spl.	Er.	Tot.
J. Echrich	4	5	1	1	182
J. Alter	1	4	3	2	132
L. Alerding	6	3	1	2	178
C. Mettler	2	5	0	3	154
H. Rager	3	4	2	1	163
Totals	16	21	7	9	809

—Elks.—

Players.	St.	Sp.	Spl.	Er.	Tot.
F. Scheffer	4	3	0	3	166
E. O'Connor	4	5	0	0	200
O. Heiny	3	3	0	4	150
A. Stier	1	4	1	4	131
J. Scheffer	3	6	1	1	171
Totals	15	21	2	12	818

THIRD GAME.

—Dermotines.—

Players.	St.	Sp.	Spl.	Er.	Tot.
J. Echrich	3	5	2	0	168
J. Alter	4	3	1	2	176
L. Alerding	2	6	1	1	165
C. Mettler	3	4	1	1	162
H. Rager	2	6	0	2	163
Totals	14	24	5	6	834

—Elks.—

Players.	St.	Sp.	Spl.	Er.	Tot.
F. Scheffer	2	3	0	4	138
E. O'Connor	0	8	0	2	162
O. Heiny	5	4	0	2	196
L. Obergfell	5	4	1	2	179
J. Scheffer	2	3	1	4	136
Totals	14	22	2	14	811

Summary—

Games—Dermotines, 1; Elks, 2.

Pins—Dermotines, 2483; Elks, 2523.

High team scores—Dermotines, 850; Elks, 894.

Team averages—Dermotines, 831; Elks, 841.

Individual high scores—Echrich, 199; Scheffer, 228.

Individual high averages—Echrich, 183; O'Connor, 176 1-3.

Strikes—Dermotines, 45; Elks, 41.

Spares—Dermotines, 65; Elks, 60.

Splits—Dermotines, 18; Elks, 7.

Errors—Dermotines, 20; Elks, 34.

TERRITORIAL DRAFT DRAWN UP.

President Carson Author of the Minor League Document.

South Bend, Ind., Feb. 11.—The territorial rights agreement to be adopted by the national board at the baseball meeting to be held in Chicago next week was drafted by President F. R. Carson of the Central league after the members of the board had been in session for twelve continuous hours without being able to reach a decision.

The agreement provides that the league is the owner of all the territory in which it has clubs playing and that when a higher league wishes to draft a certain town of the lower class organization it must do so through the national board. As soon as an application for the draft of a town is filed, the board, according to Carson's document, will send a man into the city to investigate the value of the city to the league in which it is then playing. He is also to appraise the property holdings of the club and report back to the board.

If it is decided that the lower league can do without the city, a draft is ordered, subject to the approval of the national commission and the club owner who loses the city will be reimbursed for the full value of his holdings. At the same time the league will receive $2,500 for the surrender of the franchise and such damages as the national board sees fit to recommend.

KLING SIGNS FOR POOL MATCH.

Cubs' Catcher Is Scheduled to Meet Iowa Champion for $500.

Moline, Ill., Feb. 11.—John Kling, catcher for Chicago's three-time National league pennant winners, is matched to meet Walter Wilson, champion of Iowa, in a 300-ball pool game here next week, either Monday or Thursday, the date to suit Kling's convenience. The purse is $500, and the winner will probably meet Safford, who, last week, won his handicap match in Chicago from "Kid" Hueston, world's champion.

ACTIVES BEAT COMPANY D.

The Actives' basketball five, of the Turnverein Vorwaerts, beat Company D at the armory last night by a score of 33 to 15. The Actives were never in any danger in the engagement and showed superior class throughout the play. The line-up:

Actives.	Positions.	Company D.
Leuenberger	L. F.	Egley
Bachmann	R. F.	Busch
Fortriede	C.	Lamb
Jesse	L. G.	Stucky
Fortriede	R. G.	Gallmeier

Referee—Losey. Umpire—Elmwood. Timekeeper—Nice. Scorer—Saettler.

CARNEY SIGNS CONTRACT.

Evansville, Ind., Feb. 11.—Edgar N. Carney, alias "Red," a catcher, is the latest acquisition of Manager Knoll. His signed contract came yesterday from Cleveland, Ohio, where he has been one of the bright lights in semi-pro ball. Carney was recommended by Bill Bradley, the Cleveland third-sacker, who acts as a sort of scout for the Evas and has aided them in picking up three or four live youngsters for a tryout this year.

A new meat department in charge of Herman Stredel was opened this morning at the Coverdale and Archer grocery, on Harrison street.

Saturday's Sentinel

Will again give its readers a number of high-class special features. Features that are rarely found in papers outside of the Sunday editions of the great metropolitan dailies.

Here are only a few of the good things that SATURDAY'S SENTINEL will contain:

—BY—

Formerly Chief of the U. S. Secret Service, Entitled

The story relates how Mr. Drummond effected the capture of William E. Brockway, the king of counterfeiters. The man who sold the shrewd financier, Jay Cooke, $90,000 worth of counterfeit bonds that the treasury department redeemed, believing them to be genuine.

—BY—

Telling of the life and "nerve" of this autocrat of the ocean liner, who takes complete control of the vessel when entering port and to whom even the gold-buttoned captain is compelled to give way. The man who carries the lives of all on board in his hand.

A story full of human interest for which this author is famous. Telling of the desire to become an artist in the heart of a poor little country boy, its fulfillment and of the late awakening of the artistic sense in his parents. A beautiful and touching story.

—BY—

Is the story on the Boys' and Girls' page.

George and Anastatia find a lost elephant in the orchard, capture him and ride up to the house, greatly to the consternation of their parents.

COLORED COMICS

—Two Pages—

"Buster Brown," the funniest boy on earth, works off some valentine stunts on poor old uncle.

"THE TERRORS OF THE TINY TADS"

and their adventures with Hippopautomobile and the Sparrowboat.

"BOYS WILL BE BOYS"

The initiation of the new scholar into the order of the "Mystic Omelet." See him after the initiation.

SPORTING PAGE

Giving all the news and gossip of the base ball world, as well as all other sporting events. The best sporting page published in Indiana.

THEATRICAL PAGE

A whole page devoted to the local theaters and plays of the coming week.

WOMAN'S PAGE

A whole page devoted to those subjects which every woman likes so well to read. Showing also the newest creations in dress.

In addition to the above and many other features there are pages of the local happenings in Fort Wayne and surrounding territory and the great

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JUST LIKE THE OTHERS.

Shamrock Dance a Great Success and Largely Attended.

The Shamrocks' dance last night was just like the others that have gone before it, which means that it was an unqualified success. There was a big crowd there to see the bunting the fast semi-pros won last summer from Van Wert and all of them stayed to the dance which lasted until midnight.

Dr. F. R. Carson, president of the Central league, rah up from Indianapolis to be present at the function, but both he and Owner Claude H. Varnell were detained by late trains and did not arrive until nearly midnight. Manager John C. Hendricks came down from Chicago to be present and more can not be said about the whole affair than that it was one of the best efforts of the Shamrocks.

KETCHELL AND O'BRIEN MATCHED.

Will Go Six Rounds Before a Philadelphia Club.

San Francisco, Feb. 11.—Stanley Ketchell, the middleweight champion of the world, and Jack O'Brien were matched early this morning to box six rounds before the National Sporting club of Philadelphia on March 15th or 16th, the definite date to be set later. Willus Britt has bee negotiating for the match for some time and the final details were contained in a telegram which he received from Jack McGuigan this morning. It is understood that Ketchell will receive $8,000 as his share of the purse.

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PREPARATIONS FOR BIG DANCE.

With beautiful arrangement of electric lights, electric cooking done while you wait and a number of novel features, the big dance of the Fort Wayne & Wabash Valley Traction company's ball team will be given at the Grand dancing academy tonight. A moonlight dance with "blinky" lights is to be one of the features.

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Story Corner for Base Ball Fans

Claude H. Varnell, owner of the Fort Wayne team, is as unostentatious as any man in the Central league, but he is liberal to a fault and many objections have been registered against him for the reason that he looks well after the comfort of his players, pays as big salaries as the league limit will admit, sends his men to the best hotels and whenever there is a long night ride he provides them with a sleeper.

He was never known to turn down a man with a hard luck story and this is one he tells on himself, but not for publication:

"Well, sir, the other day I was sitting in my office and a nice looking fellow came into my place and asked for Mr. Varnell.

"'That's the man back there in the office,' said the employe of whom the question was asked, and the fellow stalked back to me.

"'Your name Varnell?' he asked.

"'It is,' I said.

"'Well, it don't make any difference what my name is or where I'm from or what I'm doing, but I want to put a nervy proposition up to you.'

"'Well,' I said, 'get it out of your system.'

"'It's like this,' the fellow said. 'I'm broke and I want $4. I'm a traveling man and I owe a dollar over to the hotel and it will take $3 to get me to my next town and I will send it back.'

"'Well, sir, I looked the fellow over and I told him there was no chance for him to get away from the loan, but says I, who in the nation sent you to me?'

"'The proprietor of the hotel.'

"'How'd he happen to do it? I asked.

"'Well, I put the same proposition up to him that I did to you and he turned me down. At the same time he told me he didn't know of but one man in Wheeling and very few in the world who would lend money on such a story as that but Claude Varnell.'

"'Well, sir, I gave that fellow the money and within twenty-four hours it came back in a letter with the words 'many thanks' on a card. I don't know who the chap was and it didn't make any difference. If he was honest it was a cinch he would send the money back whether I knew his name or not, and if he hadn't been honest he would simply have hooked me for the four whether I had his name or not."

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Our Great Half-Price Sale

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Children's Knee Pant Suits
Ages 9 to 17 years, Plain Pants
HALF PRICE.

$ 2.00 Suits go at.....$1.00
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$ 4.00 Suits go at.....$2.00
$ 5.00 Suits go at.....$2.50
$ 6.00 Suits go at.....$3.00
$ 8.00 Suits go at.....$4.00
$10.00 Suits go at.....$5.00
$12.00 Suits go at.....$6.00

All plain blue and black plain pant suits and all Knickerbocker suits will be discounted 25 per cent.

All Children's Overcoats
Sizes 3 to 16.
HALF PRICE.

$ 3.00 Overcoats go at.....$1.50
$ 4.00 Overcoats go at.....$2.00
$ 5.00 Overcoats go at.....$2.50
$ 6.00 Overcoats go at.....$3.00
$ 8.00 Overcoats go at.....$4.00
$10.00 Overcoats go at.....$5.00
$12.00 Overcoats go at.....$6.00
$15.00 Overcoats go at.....$7.50

Knee Pants Half Price

Knickerbocker Pants Half Price

All broken lines of Children's Underwear will go at HALF PRICE. All other lines will be discounted 20 per cent.

All Trunks and Bags
Discounted 25 Per Cent.

Corduroy Gauntlett Gloves Half Price.

All Men's Fancy Suits
HALF PRICE.

$40.00 Fancy Suits go at.....$20.00
$35.00 Fancy Suits go at.....$17.50
$30.00 Fancy Suits go at.....$15.00
$25.00 Fancy Suits go at.....$12.50
$20.00 Fancy Suits go at.....$10.00
$18.00 Fancy Suits go at.....$ 9.00
$15.00 Fancy Suits go at.....$ 7.50
$12.00 Fancy Suits go at.....$ 6.00
$10.00 Fancy Suits go at.....$ 5.00
$ 8.00 Fancy Suits go at.....$ 4.00
$ 5.00 Fancy Suits go at.....$ 2.50

All blue, black and staple suits will be discounted 20 per cent. This will make a $20.00 black suit $16.00.

All Men's Suspenders
HALF PRICE.

25c Suspenders go at.....12½c
50c Suspenders go at.....25c
75c Suspenders go at.....38c
$1.00 Suspenders go at.....50c
$1.50 Suspenders go at.....75c
All Boys', Suspenders HALF PRICE.

Children's Winter Tams
HALF PRICE.

50c Tams go at.....25c
75c Tams go at.....37½c
$1.00 Tams go at.....50c
$1.50 Tams go at.....75c
All broken lines of Children's Waists will go at Half Price.

All broken lines of Children's and Boys' Sweater Vests go at Half Price.

Boys' Plush Gauntlet Gloves Half Price.

All Fancy Shirts for White Collars
HALF PRICE.

50c Shirts go at..... 25c
75c Shirts go at.....37½c
$1.00 Shirts go at..... 50c
$1.50 Shirts go at..... 75c
$2.00 Shirts go at.....$1.00
$2.50 Shirts go at.....$1.25

Not over three shirts to one customer.

About 100 slightly soiled Shirts—$1.00 Shirts will be sold at 25c.

All Fancy Neckwear
HALF PRICE.

25c Fancy Neckwear.....12½c
50c Fancy Neckwear..... 25c
75c Fancy Neckwear.....37½c
$1.00 Fancy Neckwear..... 50c
$1.50 Fancy Neckwear..... 75c

All Fancy Vests
HALF PRICE.

$2.00 Vests go at.....$1.00
$2.50 Vests go at.....$1.25
$3.00 Vests go at.....$1.50
$4.00 Vests go at.....$2.00
$5.00 Vests go at.....$2.50
$6.00 Vests go at.....$3.00

Heavy Underwear
HALF PRICE.

All broken lines of heavy Underwear will be sold at Half Price. All other heavy Underwear will be discounted 20 per cent.

Men's Heavy Wool Driving Gloves Half Price.

All Men's Fancy Raincoats
HALF PRICE.

$30.00 Fancy Raincoats go at...$15.00
$25.00 Fancy Raincoats go at...$12.50
$20.00 Fancy Raincoats go at...$10.00
$18.00 Fancy Raincoats go at...$ 9.00
$15.00 Fancy Raincoats go at...$ 7.50
$12.00 Fancy Raincoats go at...$ 6.00

All black and dark grey Raincoats will be discounted 20 per cent.

All Men's Fancy Caps
HALF PRICE.

50c Caps go at..... 25c
$1.00 Caps go at..... 50c
$1.50 Caps go at..... 75c
$2.00 Caps go at.....$1.00

All black and blue Caps will be discounted 20 per cent.

Fur-Lined Gloves Half Price.
Wool Gloves Half Price.

"Silver" Collars
10c—During Sale—10c

We want every man in Fort Wayne to buy at least two of these Collars. It's the only Collar made with Line Cord buttonholes. Not over six collars will be sold to any one person.

Men's White Vests
HALF PRICE.

$1.50 Vests go at..... 75c
$2.00 Vests go at.....$1.00
$3.00 Vests go at.....$1.50
$4.00 Vests go at.....$2.00

Bath Robes Half Price

Smoking Jackets Half Price

All Boys' Fancy Suits
HALF PRICE

$30.00 Fancy Suits go at $15.00
$25.00 Fancy Suits go at $12.50
$20.00 Fancy Suits go at $10.00
$18.00 Fancy Suits go at .....$ 9.00
$15.00 Fancy Suits go at .....$ 7.50
$12.00 Fancy Suits go at .....$ 6.00
$10.00 Fancy Suits go at .....$ 5.00
$ 8.00 Fancy Suits go at .....$ 4.00
$ 5.00 Fancy Suits go at .....$ 2.50

All blue, black and staple suits will be discounted 20 per cent. This will make a Boys' $15.00 blue suit $12.00.

All Men's Odd Vests
HALF PRICE

75c Vests go at 37½c
$1.00 Vests go at 50c
$1.50 Vests go at 75c
$2.00 Vests go at $1.00

All Men's Fancy Scotch Trousers
HALF PRICE

$6.00 Trousers go at $3.00
$5.00 Trousers go at $2.50
$4.00 Trousers go at $2.00
$3.00 Trousers go at $1.50
$2.00 Trousers go at $1.00

All other heavy weight Pants in the store will be discounted 20 per cent.

Special

300 heavy Wool Caps for men and boys, regular price, 50c, 75c and $1.00, will be sold at 15c.

Children's Fancy Wool Gloves Half Price.

All Men's Fancy Overcoats
HALF PRICE

$20.00 Overcoats go at $10.00
$18.00 Overcoats go at .....$ 9.00
$15.00 Overcoats go at .....$ 7.50
$12.00 Overcoats go at .....$ 6.00
$10.00 Overcoats go at .....$ 5.00

All Men's Black and Dark Grey Overcoats
ONE-THIRD OFF.

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$40.00 Overcoats go at $26.66
$35.00 Overcoats go at $23.33
$30.00 Overcoats go at $20.00
$25.00 Overcoats go at $16.66
$20.00 Overcoats go at $13.33
$18.00 Overcoats go at $12.00
$15.00 Overcoats go at $10.00
$12.00 Overcoats go at .....$ 8.00
$10.00 Overcoats go at .....$ 6.66
$ 8.00 Overcoats go at .....$ 5.33
$ 5.00 Overcoats go at $3.33

Garters Half Price

During this sale we will sell three pairs of Silk Garters for 25c.

Men's Fancy Hose
HALF PRICE

25c Fancy Hose go at 12½c
50c Fancy Hose go at 25c

SILK MUFFLERS Half Price

.50 Mufflers go at..... .25
$1.00 Mufflers go at..... .50
$1.50 Mufflers go at..... .75
$2.00 Mufflers go at.....$1.00
$3.00 Mufflers go at.....$1.50

Everything in our great stock will be slaughtered. Nothing escapes except the New Spring Goods we have been marking for the last two weeks. Many things will be sold at almost no price. This is our way of advertising and our sure way of closing out every 1908 garment. We will not carry over a heavy weight suit. No goods will be charged or sent out on approval. Pay for what ever you buy. If you get it home and don,t want it—bring it back and get your money. We want you to do this. A small charge will be made for alterations.

Don't All Try to Come Tomorrow. The Sale Lasts Fourteen Days.

Patterson-Fletcher Co.

THE SHOP AND RAILROAD NEWS

PITTSBURG STOP OVER.

Official Notice of New Feature Sent Out.

Samuel Moody, general passenger agent of the Pennsylvania, has informed Agent J. E. Ross by official letter that, commencing March 12, eastbound through passengers will be allowed the privilege of stopping over in Pittsburg several days, the conditions being that the traveler leave his ticket with the agent at Pittsburg and call for it again when he is ready to resume the journey. The Sentinel several days ago announced that such an agreement would be reached by all of the trunk lines.

WABASH CLOSES TOMORROW.

Up to noon today the Wabash was the only railway company to notify its shopmen that Lincoln's birthday would be observed tomorrow by closing the works. The order also conveyed the information that the shopmen would work all of Saturday, instead of only in the forenoon, as has been the practice on Saturdays. Inasmuch as the matter was not taken up with the Pennsylvania officials up to noon today, and the absence of Supt. J. B. McKim, it is presumed that the employes in those shops will work tomorrow. Some of the other big plants, notably the Bass works, will be closed tomorrow.

HAND CUT ON WIRE.

James L. Beaton, factory time clerk at the Fort Wayne Electric works, painfully hurt the palm of his right hand last night when he fell and in an effort to save himself, caught hold of a wire. The accident happened at the Princess rink while Mr. Beaton was participating in the roller skating party given in honor of the young ladies and gentlemen at the Electric works and a few of their friends.

STRUCK BY BIG TONGS.

C. F. Tielker, a heater at the Pennsylvania shops, sustained some internal injuries yesterday, when he was struck in the stomach by the handle of the big tongs he was using. He was unable to report for work this morning, but it is believed his injuries are not of a serious character.

FOOT SADLY BRUISED.

Albert Shafer, a machinists' helper at the Wabash shops, will be off several days nursing his right foot. At noon yesterday the member was badly bruised by the main siderod of an engine falling upon it. Dr. C. F. Kaadt attended him and he may go to the hospital at Peru for further treatment.

GENERAL MANAGER PECK HERE.

General Manager G. L. Peck, of the Pennsylvania, in on the Western division of the system today. He came in from the east in his private car on one of the night trains and left this morning, accompanied by a number of the division officials on a special train, running as the second No. 37. Mr. Peck will probably return to Pittsburg tomorrow.

DISCUSSING M. C. B. RULES.

Over Forty Shop Foremen and Clerks Hold Meeting.

Car shop foremen and car bill clerks from every shop town on the Pennsylvania Northwest system are holding a meeting in the committee room of the company today, discussing master car builder rules regarding repairs and billing of same with a view of systematizing the work over all the lines. The meeting was called by Chief Motive Power Clerk W. L. Wilt and is being presided over by Chief Car Inspector Adam LaMar, with W. C. Bade as secretary. Mr. Wilt is also taking a part in the discussions. The meeting may be continued over tomorrow.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

P. P. Nichter, of the Pennsylvania machine shop, is off duty attending a funeral.

Mrs. George Walda, whose husband is foreman of the Bowser tin shop, is quite ill at the family home.

Boilermaker L. J. Case will go to Huntington tonight and Machinist O. C. Keller will go to Peru, to spend the Lincoln birthday. Both are Wabash employes.

George Weimer, J. Herr, J. A. Chapman, J. A. Boyle and F. W. Mennewisch are new names on the Pennsylvania sick lists today.

The expression "wreck train" has been stricken from the list in use by the Nickel Plate and in the future that train will be referred to by employes of the company as the "relief train."

William Martin, of 1439 Broadway, one of the pioneer residents of that part of the city, has been quite ill for the past two weeks with the grip. He is seventy-six years old, but is very active and expects to be about as usual again in a few days.

Engine 851, of the Peru division, and No. 2049, of the Detroit division of the Wabash, were turned out of the shops in this city today, each having received general repairs. Both are freight locomotives.

William Stalling, a boilermakers' helper, and L. C. Schroeder, an apprentice in the mechanical department, resigned their positions at the Wabash shops this morning. Young Schrader will go to Norfolk, Va., to work in the government's navy yards.

Mrs. Frances Shaw, aged 52 years, was struck and knocked down by an engine in the Wabash yards at Danville yesterday, receiving some painful cuts and bruises, but escaping serious injury.

The very severe weather of the past two or three days has interrupted temporarily some improvements in different parts of the city. Work on the installation of a big tank at the Gas works by the Bowser people was among the jobs delayed by the weather.

The water situation on the Nickel Plate has been relieved of the features which made it expensive and annoying to the motive power and transportation departments for the past three or four months. The recent rains and snows have filled the streams with a better supply of water for steam purposes than they contained for several months previously and the frequent trouble with engines springing leaks is now practically over.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Raifsnyder, of Toledo, are visiting relatives in the city for a few days. They formerly resided here and Mr. Raifsnyder was employed at the Pennsylvania round house. He is now holding a similar position with the Lake Shore at Toledo.

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OLD FASHIONED VIRGINIA PEANUT CANDY

Special Sale at Aurentz's Saturday. 12½c per lb.; 2 for 25c.
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All sample Garland Base Burners at Cost.
H. J. ASH.

Loans For Everybody

On furniture, piano, horses and vehicles or stock, without taking the property out of your possession. Any amount from $5 to $100. We make it as easy as possible for people to do business with us. We appreciate the fact that every person desires to keep their personal affairs private. Our confidential credit system is astonishingly liberal, simple, safe and absolutely private.

WE TRUST YOU.

We will open a confidential credit account with you. If you are in need of money call at our office. Your account will be welcomed and once opened can always be used. Do not fail to call and get our terms before doing business elsewhere. If permanently employed, we advance you money on your own note without an endorser.

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Established 1895.

Cured of Bronchitis

BY CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

W. E. WHEELER

Bronchitis is a much more serious disease than an ordinary cold, and much more likely to result in pneumonia. It is commonly spoken of as a cold on the lungs. There is little if any danger, however, when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is judiciously used.

Only Few Doses Required

"Before I learned of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy I suffered with an attack of bronchitis two or three times a year, and each attack seemed to be worse," says W. E. Wheeler, 423 W. Ninth St., Los Angeles, Cal. "The medicine the doctor prescribed seemed to give me relief, but did not afford a cure. My daughter used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in her family, and one day when I was visiting her she advised me to try it. I felt so wretched that I was willing to try almost anything, and so took part of a bottle she had on hand, and then bought a large bottle and one more, and that cured me. Whenever I feel an attack coming on I take a few doses, and I have not been bothered any more. I have much cause to be grateful to the manufacturers of this remedy."

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

This remedy is especially suited to the treatment of bronchitis, as it causes the expulsion of mucus from the bronchial tubes, making breathing easier, and minimizing the danger of contracting pneumonia. This remedy has a world wide reputation for its cures and can always be depended upon. It contains no opium or other narcotic, and may be given as confidently to a child as to an adult. Price per bottle twenty-five cents, large size fifty cents.

H. A. Keplinger resumed his place in the First National bank this morning after an illness of several days from rheumatism.

A loss of $75 caused by the burning of the joists in the cellar was sustained last night by Peter Henkenius, of 708 Columbia avenue. The cellar floor became ignited from sparks from the flue, but the loss was confined to the one room. The chemical answered the alarm.

Only One "BROMO QUININE," that is **Laxative Bromo Quinine** E. W. Grove on every box. 25c. Cures a Cold in One Day. Grip in 2 Days.

THE HALF OFF SALE

AT THE

RACKET STORE

Closes Saturday, February 13

This has been the biggest sale we have ever held, and means a big loss to us in some ways, and a big gain in others. We are sure you will find no shop-worn goods here. The last of this week we have planned to make interesting.

A car load of graniteware will be added to the sale at half the usual price asked.

50 dozen Children's heavy ribbed hose, value 15c, balance of week only, 2 pairs **15c.**

25 dozen American Beauty Corsets, value $1.00, at **50c.**

25 dozen 50c Corsets at **25c.**

100 dozen Window Shades, oil colors, **18c.**

NOTICE.

We shall place on our shelves a good many new goods. These will not be included in the 1-2 price sale.

New York Racket Store

620 Calhoun Street.

The Cheapest Place West of Sunrise

CLOSED UP SALOON.

Ben Thomas Barroom Gets Into Limelight Again.

Ben Thomas' saloon at Woodburn, in which the famous chicken supper was held the night before the murder of Marshal Columbus Croy, was again in the limelight yesterday when Sheriff Reichelderfer and Deputy Schoenefeld closed up the place because Edgar Coddington had bought it and obtained a government and town license, but had failed to get one from the state.

All of the liquor in the place was seized under the blind tiger law and removed from the place on an affidavit filed by Town Marshal John Baker.

PNEUMONIA FOLLOWS LAGRIPPE

Pneumonia often follows lagrippe, but never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar for lagrippe coughs and deep seated colds. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. Dreier & Bro.

DIVORCED AFTER 52 YEARS.

Husband, Aged 75, Convicts Wife, 67, of Improper Conduct.

New York, Feb. 11.—Married more than fifty-two years, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Hull, of East Orange, N. J., were legally separated yesterday by a decree of divorce granted by Chancellor Pitney to the husband.

Mr. Hull is 75 and his divorced wife 67. The decree rests on the fact that Mrs. Hull was convicted of having lived four years in Camden, N. J., as the wife of Cornelius Schroeder.

The main testimony against Mrs. Hull was given by Mrs. Bate of Camden, stepdaughter of the youngest daughter of Mrs. Hull. The latter knew of her relations with Schroeder, but thought they were legitimate, as she believed Hull to be dead. She had a dream one night that Hull appeared and confronted his wife. Later when she read the report in a newspaper that George A. Hull, of Orange, had sued for a divorce from his wife, Adelaide, she discovered the facts.

The Hulls separated in September, 1901. Previous to that time Mrs. Hull, in spite of her advanced years, had struck up a flirtation with Schroeder. Hull was a traveling agent and his business took him away for long trips. It was while he was away that Mrs. Hull began to be familiar with Schroeder.

HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

Welding, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

All Men's Black and Dark Grey Overcoats

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$12.00 Overcoats go at	$ 8.00
$10.00 Overcoats go at	$ 6.66
$ 8.00 Overcoats go at	$ 5.33
$ 5.00 Overcoats go at	$3.33

Great sale begins tomorrow morning.

PATTERSON-FLETCHER CO.

DYING, HE SPURNED MAN WHO POSED AS HIS SON

Giles Bradley, Former Waterloo Man, Denied Claim of Alleged Heir.

Waterloo, Ind., Feb. 11.—Repudiating the claim of a New York young man who declared he was a son and heir, Giles I. Bradley, once a resident of Waterloo, died a few days ago at Indianapolis, leaving an estate of $50,000 to his daughter. The case contains some most unusual features.

Indifferent as to whether he had a son or not, Bradley made sure as the end drew near that his wealth should go where devotion and service had won it. He throttled whatever parental instincts that may have struggled in his breast and the codicil to his last will and testament, thrice as lengthy as the instrument itself, says in part:

"I feel that I owe an obligation to my adopted daughter, which can not be measured by dollars and cents and whether Walter Giles Bradley be my son or not, it is my will that my estate should go to my adopted daughter, to have and to hold.

"On the 28th day of January, 1908, I was approached by a person, a man, whom I had never seen before who asserted that he was my son of Cornelia, my former wife from whom I was divorced in DeKalb county, Ind., May 18, 1868."

This is the climax and a part only of the story that is revealed in the will of Giles I. Bradley, a pioneer real estate man of Indianapolis, whose death occurred last Friday. The will was filed for probate Wednesday. It leaves an estate valued at between $40,000 and $50,000 to an adopted daughter, Mrs. L. P. Drummond, who as is set forth in the codicil to the will, "for thirteen years filled with arduous service" nursed and attended Bradley.

What Auburn Records Show.

Investigation of the court records at Auburn show that the statement that he was divorced from his former wife on May 18, 1868, is correct except as to the date, which should be the 20th. In his complaint for divorce he says he and his wife were married February 16, 1858, and separated October 1, 1859, in Oswego county, New York. Some very racy allegations were made against her and a long list of depositions taken in Oswego county bore them out sufficiently to cause Judge William M. Clapp to grant the divorce. L. R. and T. Y. Dickinson, a Waterloo law firm, appeared for him, and Deputy Prosecutor Joseph L. Morlan for her. Joseph R. Lanning was clerk then.

He had then lived in DeKalb county more than a year. For forty years he had been a resident of Indianapolis. He also married there, his wife dying a few years ago.

When he left his first wife he had no children, so he says in his will. The stranger who claims to be his son says he was born at the home of Mrs. Bradley's sister several months after the separation, but Bradley refused to believe him, to recognize him as a son and finally refused to allow him to call and talk with him.

THE BEST REMEDY

For Women—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Noah, Ky.—"I was passing through the Change of Life and suffered from headaches, nervous prostration, and hemorrhages. "Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made me well and strong, so that I can do all my housework, and attend to the store and post-office, and I feel much younger than I really am. "Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the most successful remedy for all kinds of female troubles, and I feel that I can never praise it enough."—MRS. LIZZIE HOLLAND, Noah, Ky.

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Women everywhere should remember that there is no other remedy known to medicine that will so successfully carry women through this trying period as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs.

For 30 years it has been curing women from the worst forms of female ills—inflammation, ulceration, displacements, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, and nervous prostration.

If you would like special advice about your case write a confidential letter to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free, and always helpful.

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Ely's Cream Balm is quickly absorbed. Gives Relief at Once.

It cleanses, soothes, heals and protects the diseased membrane resulting from Catarrh and drives away a Cold in the Head quickly. Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. Full size 50 cts. at Druggists or by mail. Liquid Cream Balm for use in atomizers 75 cts. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York.

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WANT AN EARLY HEARING.

Telegram Sent to Allen County Legislators in Regard to Armory Bill.

Following the meeting of the Fort Wayne Armory association in the assembly room of the court house last night, a telegram was sent to each of the five Allen county legislators in the general assembly now sitting at Indianapolis, requesting an early hearing of the armory bill before the joint military committee of the house and senate and advising them that a committee from this city will go to Indianapolis to argue before the committee at the proper time. W. C. Geake and Attorney Guy Colerick will go to Indianapolis this evening to supplement the request contained in the telegram.

Favorable reports from military organizations in Montgomery, Elkhart and Monroe counties were heard, showing that the petitions sent there are being readily signed. Several of those interested in the proposition for an appropriation for a new armory gave short talks, discussing the progress the bill has made, its merits and its future prospects. H. C. Moriarty was appointed to arrange for transportation rates to Indianapolis for the local committee.

Another meeting will be held in the assembly room on next Wednesday evening.

INDEPENDENT OIL CONCERN.

Standard Will Have Competition in Missouri.

St. Louis, Feb. 11.—The Independent Oil association is to be organized here tonight and means will be taken to show overnor Hadley there is no need of considering the Standard Oil proposition on the ground that without the Standard in Missouri there would not be enough oil to supply the state's needs.

Representatives of the large independent companies will form the new association. They are producers and refiners of Indiana, Kansas and Oklahoma. It is reported that F. C. Bretshyder, head of the Belt Oil company, will be president of the new concern.

Santiago, Chile, is to have an "exhibit of American goods" in the fall of 1909.

Pimples and Blackheads

Are quickly and permanently cured by Zemo. A clean liquid for external use. Zemo draws the germs and the blackheads to the surface of the skin and destroys them, leaving a clear healthy skin. Zemo is now recognized the most successful cure for skin diseases that has ever been produced. Sold by Meyer Bros. Co. Three Drug Stores.

Weihaiwei, with an area of 285 square miles and 150,000 inhabitants is kept in perfect order with a force of fifty-seven native police and three European inspectors.

Foley's Honey and Tar clears the air passages, stops the irritation in the throat, soothes the inflamed membranes and the most obstinate cough disappears. Sore and inflamed lungs are healed and strengthened and the cold is expelled from the system. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. Dreier & Bro.

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Any machine or group of machines, or the entire factory plant can be started or stopped instantly by a hand upon the electric switch—if electric drive from Central Station is employed.

A Brilliant Sign Illuminates Your Store Front

It not only calls attention to your place of business—it renders it attractive after dark. People enjoy light. The general glow of a score or two of electric lamps acts like a magnet on a dark night.

A Few Tungsten Lamps Illuminate a Whole Store.

The light is so brilliant that it takes very few lamps to light a store. It is displacing other illuminants everywhere. For particulars call Home Phone 2696.

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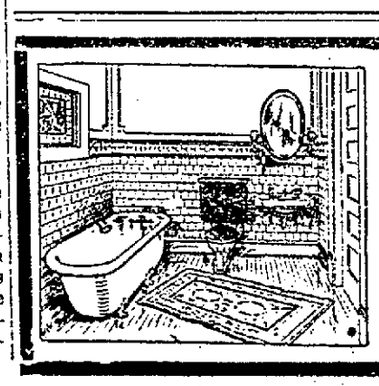

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ADDITIONAL Shop and Rail

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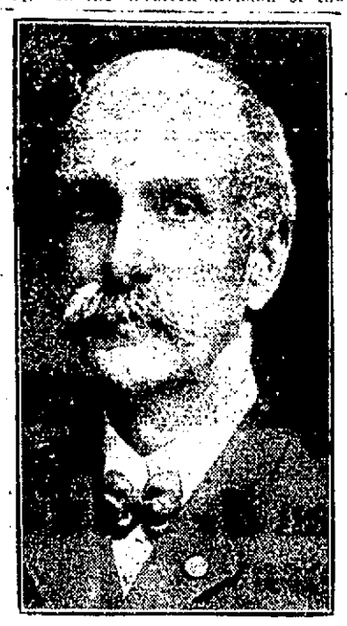
"An Hour With Lincoln."

Crawford Griswold to Discuss Martyred President.

Crawford Griswold will deliver the main lecture at the centennial celebration of Abraham Lincoln at the Railroad Y. M. C. A. tomorrow evening, when he will relate his army experience. Mr. Griswold was a soldier in the war of the rebellion, when Abraham Lincoln was president of the United States, and he is well equipped with army reminiscences and can relate them in a most interesting and instructive manner. Preceding the lecture will be a musical program which will include some of the songs so familiar to the old veterans and which are occasionally heard nowadays. Mr. Griswold, now on the retired list, was superintendent of bridges and buildings on the Western division of the



CRAWFORD GRISWOLD,
Who Will Be Heard at the Y. M. C. A. Friday Night in "An Hour With Lincoln."

Pennsylvania for a quarter of a century and all of the employes know him and entertain the highest regard for him. They will embrace this opportunity to do homage to him by turning out in great numbers to hear the lecture. Mr. Griswold has been prominently connected with Y. M. C. A. work in Fort Wayne ever since the establishment of an association here and is also well known in church circles. Ladies are invited to the lecture and many of them will be in the audience.

BUILDING LABORERS' UNION.

The Building Laborers' union, No. 213, held a good meeting last night and selected officers to serve the ensuing year. The personnel of the roster is as follows: Verne Snyder, president; Frank Gaskill, vice president; Barney Krieg, recording secretary; Edward Rayhouser, financial secretary; Julius Fabian, treasurer; Charles Herring, sergeant-at-arms; Philip Marks, guard; Henry Schoenfeld, Adam Steiger, Steve Hartman, trustees; Frank Gaskill, Verne Snyder, Isaac Herring, Edward Rayhouser, Steve Hartman, delegates to the Fort Wayne Federation of Labor. Unlike most of the labor organizations, the Building Laborers' union looks after the burial of its deceased members, giving to the heirs of each $100 as soon after the death messenger has appeared as it is possible.

INCREASED EARNINGS.

The report of the earnings of the Grand Rapids and Indiana road during January, 1909, shows a considerable increase over the same month a year ago. The increase was 12 per cent, but there was a falling off of 20 per cent from the earnings of January, 1907, which was the best month in the history of the property. The earnings of railways are considered a good barometer of trade generally and the report of the G. R. & I. officials indicates an improvement in manufacturing and mercantile circles, also in the territory touched by that line.

TRAIN DERAILED AT OSSIAN.

The Lake Erie and Western passenger train which left this city at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon was derailed while running slowly at Ossian by a rail turning under the wheels. None of the passengers or crew was hurt and the property loss was not very great. The tracks were blocked for three or four hours, however, and the incoming train, due here at 9 o'clock, did not reach the city until some hours later. The wreck crew was called to the scene.

KLINE VISITS BLACKSMITHS.

A special meeting of the local branch of the International Brotherhood of Blacksmiths and Helpers was held at Strodel's hall last night to listen to an address by J. W. Kline, general president of the international body. He laid particular stress upon the decision of Judge Wright in the injunction cases. Mr. Kline, who makes his headquarters in Chicago, was en route to that city after attending to some business at Danville. After the meeting last night he left for Chicago.

CARPENTER INJURED.

Conrad Droege, a carpenter in Foreman Harry Evans' department at the Fort Wayne Electric works, had one of his fingers badly cut this morning while at work about some of the machinery. The company's surgeon attended him.

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No Matter How Bad Your Case Is Or How Long You Have Had It, Pyramid Pile Cure Can Cure It.

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Half of the suffering and torture of piles has never been told. Whether your particular case of piles is almost too excruciating for any mortal to bear, or if you are fearfully tantalized by unreachable itching and bleeding or whether you have only a moderate case of piles, there is positive relief, and quick, too, in Pyramid Pile Cure.

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That is why we say to every person suffering from piles or any form of rectal disease, send us your name and address and we will gladly send you a free trial package of the marvelous Pyramid Pile Cure. After using the trial you will hurry to your nearest druggist and get a 50 cent box of Pyramid Pile Cure, now admitted by thousands to be one of the most wonderful reliefs and cures for Piles ever known.

Instant relief can be gotten by using the marvelous Pyramid Pile Cure. It immediately reduces all congestion and swelling, heals all sores, ulcers and irritated parts. It renders an operation absolutely unnecessary.

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The heart may be weak just the same as the eyes, stomach or other organs. It often happens that a person is born with a weak heart. Then again disease, fevers, over-exertion, anxiety, nervousness, rheumatism, etc. weaken the heart. The result is shortness of breath, palpitation, pain in the heart, or in some of the nerves of the chest or abdomen. The heart should be strengthened with a tonic, and for this nothing equals Dr. Miles' Heart Cure.

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$ 3.00 Overcoats go at	$1.50
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$ 5.00 Overcoats go at	$2.50
$ 6.00 Overcoats go at	$3.00
$ 8.00 Overcoats go at	$4.00
$10.00 Overcoats go at	$5.00
$12.00 Overcoats go at	$6.00
$15.00 Overcoats go at	$7.50

Great Sale begins tomorrow morning.

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WANTED

10 salesmen and 10 salesladies for our Loom End Sale next Saturday. Apply Friday at Frank Dry Goods Co.

All sample Garland Base Burners at Cost.

H. J. ASH.

WANTED—Stenographers, Remington operators and good pen writers. Apply in person. J. W. Kidd Co.

Forced to Vacate

A complete clearance of our splendid stock necessitated by a forced abandonment of our entire main floor. We have contracted with cabinet-makers, elevator people and electricians for a most complete remodeling of our main floor. Under this contract we must in fifteen days turn over the entire first floor to them for these extensive improvements, which, when completed, will give us the most beautiful, modern, up-to-date and best lighted store in the middle west. We are given a limited time in which to reduce this great stock.

We Are Prepared for It

Great Remodeling Sale

It's a Sale With a Purpose

OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF MEN'S, BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S HIGH-GRADE CLOTHING, HATS AND FURNISHINGS reduced to a point never before reached on thoroughly dependable merchandise, in many instances at less than actual cost of raw material. We will make this an event to be long remembered by the clothing buying public. A tremendous slaughter of modern merchandise. Our entire stock at the mercy of the public for 15 days, beginning

Saturday, February 13

Wait! Watch! Wait!
For the Opening Day
Saturday, Feb. 13
continuing for only 15 days.

Lehman's Clothing House
808-810 CALHOUN STREET.

This Is Not An Ordinary Sale
but an extraordinary occasion. Greatest bargain treat in the clothing history of Indiana.

Here below we quote you a few of the many bargains, but bear in mind there are thousands of other bargains we cannot mention here; some of these lines are limited—don't wait if interested:

Here's a List of Men's and Young Men's Suits at Remodeling Prices That Speaks for Itself

"Not a lot of undesirable garments," but fresh, clean, up-to-date nearly all this season's models, in all the desirable shades and styles. While there may not be all sizes in every line there are all sizes in the lots in slims, stouts and regulars. Choose early while your size is here.

Lot 1. Over 250 Men's and Young Men's suits that sold up to $18.00. Remodeling price **$5.85**

Lot 2. About 300 Men's and Young Men's suits that sold up to $20.00. Remodeling price **$8.35**

Lot 3. Over 275 Men's and Young Men's suits that sold up to $25.00. Remodeling price **$12.00**

ALL OTHER MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S SUITS AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES

$40 Men's Fancy Overcoats, every one this season's garments; regular $18.00, $20.00 and $25.00 values. Remodeling Price **$10.00**
See display in our south window.

50 Plain Black and Plain Gray Raincoats; all this season's models. Can't be matched in Fort Wayne less than $12.00. Your choice during this great sale at **$6.75**

Boys' Overcoats, Sizes 10 to 15 Years, at Cost and in Many Instances Less Than Cost of Material

BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S SUITS AT REMODELING PRICES. PARENTS, DON'T MISS A WORD

Lot 1. Over 50 Boys' suits, sizes 13 to 16 years; regular $2.50 and $3.00 values. A great selection at **95c**

Lot 2. Russian and Sailor blouse suits; $3.00 and $4.00 values; sizes 3 and 4 years. Your choice now **$1.15**

Lot 3. About 40 Russian and Sailor blouse suits; sizes 3 to 10 years. Suits that sold at $5 to $7.50. Sale price **$3.25**

Lot 4. Suits for stout boys, ages 12 to 16 years; suits that retailed at $5 to $8; if you have a stout boy don't miss this. **$2.75**

Lot 5. One lot of Boys' $2.50 to $4.00 Reefers; sizes 3 to 5 years; a good assortment to choose from **$1.50**

Lot 6. Boys' $4 and $5 overcoats; sizes 2½ to 5 years; a good assortment to choose from **$2.75**

Lot 7. Boys' Top Coats in fancy shades; sizes 7 to 16 years. Garments that sold at $6.00. Your choice **$3.00**

Lot 8. Boys' Top Coats that sold for $10.00; a great selection of patterns. Sizes 7 to 16 years. Choice **$5.00**

Genuine Tower's Fish Brand Slickers for Men—Remodeling Price, $2.35

Men's Covert Work Coats; well made and water proof **$1.15**

Boys' Covert Work Coats; all sizes; a great bargain, at **85c**

Men's $2.00, $2.50 and $3.00 Hats; all good styles, in black and colors. Remodeling price **$1.25**

Men's 50c, 75c, $1.00 and $1.50 Winter Caps. Sale price **25c**

ENTIRE STOCK OF MEN'S TROUSERS REDUCED

Here are a few price record breakers taken from regular stock where the lines are broken in sizes. All new this season's trousers. Here are the prices:

Lot 1. Men's Tousers that sold up to $1.00 ..... 79c
Lot 2. Men's Trousers that sold up to $1.50 ..... 95c
Lot 3. Men's Trousers that sold up to $3.50 ..... $1.65
Lot 4. Men's Trousers that sold up to $5.00 ..... $2.85

$4.00 and $5.00 Bath Robes; all sizes and a great assortment. Remodeling sale **$1.95**

$4.00, $5.00 and $6.00 House Coats, now $2.35

50 doz. Boys' Waists; sizes 3, 4 and 5 years; 50c and 75c values. Sale price **25c**

Boys' 50c Shirts all sizes **25c**

50c Tams now **25c**

25c Boys' Hose; sizes 6½ to 8½, now **15c**

Boys' 50c Knee pants **25c**

Boys' 75c Knee Pants; straight or knicker **38c**

Boston Garters 12½c
25c Wayne Knit Hose 12½c
President Suspenders 35c
Men's Handkerchiefs 2c
Rubber Collars 10c
Linen Collars 8c
25c Fancy Hose 12½c

Men's $1.50 heavy Fleeced Union Suits, all sizes. See center case **85c**

Men's and Boys' heavy Outing Night Shirts; only 2 to customer; sale price **29c**

Men's $1.50 and $2 full dress Shirts; all sizes; cuffs attached; now **$1.15**

Men's Heavy Sweaters; regular $1 and $1.50 values; all sizes; remodeling price **75c**

$1.50 Sweater Coats 95c
50c Underwear 39c
$2.00 Fancy Vests $1.00
$2.50 Fancy Vests $1.25
$3.00 Fancy Vests $1.50
$3.50 Fancy Vests $1.75
$4.00 Fancy Vests $2.00

No Goods Charged or Sent Out on Approval During This Sale

HOTEL ARRIVALS

Arrivals from Indiana and surrounding points who were guests at the hotels last night, and those who have arrived until noon today are as follows:

AT THE WAYNE.

Peter Kuntz, jr., Dayton.
C. H. Peterson, St. Joe, Ind.
J. W. Pohlman, Greensburg, Ind.
T. E. Reagon, Indianapolis.
A. B. Quillard, Hicksville.
Mrs. L. P. Squire, Hicksville.
W. S. Brasher, Harrisburg, Pa.
C. E. Carriger, Indianapolis.
C. J. McDaniel, Quincy, Ill.
A. C. Wells, Indianapolis.
C. W. Moore, Muncie.
D. O. Root, Huron, South Dakota.
Frank M. Sell, Columbus, O.
A. S. Avens, South Bend.
L. C. Cates, Indianapolis.
Dr. F. R. Carson, South Bend.
E. W. Nerman, Tiffin.

AT THE RANDALL.

V. W. Oglesbee, Xenia, O.
Jas. T. Barnett, Indianapolis.
A. W. Allen, Toledo.
A. L. Cook, Indianapolis.
A. T. Ellis, South Bend.
S. S. Boyle, Indianapolis.
T. Wing, South Bend.
Geo. F. Anderson, Indianapolis.
B. L. Rowley, Port Huron, Mich.
A. H. Grim, Dayton.
W. A. Helman, Decatur, Ill.
W. E. Morris, Richmond.
Geo. W. Hersh, Toledo.
B. F. Egan, Indianapolis.
J. B. Southard, Terre Haute.
F. E. Lucas, Noblesville.
Lester Canfield, Ann Arbor, Mich.
A. R. Harris, Indianapolis.
R. W. Leonard, Delaware, O.
J. M. Heckman, Kokomo.
A. J. Miller, Bellefontaine, O.
David Hartman, Lima.
A. B. Smith, Grand Rapids.
Benford McOnat, Indianapolis.
N. F. Watson, Columbia City.
Wm. I. Morrissey, Columbia City.
O. E. Smith, Angola.
John Preston, Titusville, Pa.
E. A. Baillie, Salem, O.
Jos. A. McCaffey, Pittsburg.

All Men's Fancy Suits
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$40.00 Fancy Suits go at........$20.00
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$30.00 Fancy Suits go at........$15.00
$25.00 Fancy Suits go at........$12.50
$20.00 Fancy Suits go at........$10.00
$18.00 Fancy Suits go at........$ 9.00
$15.00 Fancy Suits go at........$ 7.50
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$10.00 Fancy Suits go at........$ 5.00
$ 8.00 Fancy Suits go at........$ 4.00
$ 5.00 Fancy Suits go at........$2.50

All blue, black and staple suits will be discounted 20 per cent. This will make a $20.00 black suit $16.00.

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THE MARKETS

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Chicago Market.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 11.—Wheat for May delivery sold today at $1.11½ per bushel, eclipsing the high record mark of the season established yesterday by ⅝c. This new figure was recorded on initial transactions when the May delivery ranged between $1.12 and $1.12½. The sharp upturn was due to active general demand by commission houses which was based on advance of ⅜d to ⅞d at Liverpool and on the continued bullish position of the cash grain market in this country. Distant deliveries opened a shade to ⅜@½c higher than the previous close and prices held near the high marks during the early part of the day.

During the greater part of the day trade was of limited volume, but prices were well maintained. In the final half hour, however, trade became decidedly active and shorts and bull leaders bid up the price of the May delivery to $1.13. The market closed strong at the top notch, with May wheat showing a net gain for the day of 1¼c at $1.13.

Liberal sales by cash houses caused a moderate slump in corn prices following a slight advance at the start due to the bulge in wheat. Receiving houses reported increased acceptances in the country and also claimed that considerable corn was now enroute to this market. Prices at the start were ⅛@¼c lower to ⅛c higher. May opened at 64⅛c to 64⅝c. Later the price touched 63⅞c.

The corn market failed to respond to the bullish enthusiasm displayed in the wheat pit, prices holding about steady the remainder of the day. Local holders were inclined to take profits and this caused an easy tone at the close. The final quotations on May were off ⅛c at 64⅜c.

Oats were steady on renewed buying by leading bulls. May opened unchanged to ⅛c higher at 53⅝c to 53¾c and sold off to 53¼@53⅜c.

Trade in provisions was rather slow, but the market was steady on buying of lard by local packing house concerns. Prices at the opening were 2½c lower to 2½c higher.

The Close.

Prices at the close were as follows:

Wheat—May, $1.13; July, $1.01⅛@1.01¼; September, 96¾c; December, 97¾c.

Corn—February, 61½c; May, 64⅜c; July, 63⅞c; September, 63⅞c.

Oats—May, 53⅛@53¼c; July, 47⅝@47¾c; September, 39⅝c.

Pork—May, $16.97½; July, $17.07½.

Lard—May, $9.70; July, $9.82½.
Ribs—May, $8.90; July, $9.07½.
Rye—Cash, 76½c; May, 79c.
Barley—Cash, 62½@67c.
Timothy—March, $3.80.
Clover—March, $9.30.

Toledo Grain Prices.

Toledo, O., Feb. 11.—Opening prices: Wheat—May, $1.14½; July, $1.03¾; September, 99⅛c.

Corn—May, July and September, 66c.

New York Grain and Provisions.

New York, Feb. 11.—Flour—Receipts, 17,740 bbls; sales, 1,000 bbls; market firmly held with demand moderate.

Wheat—Receipts today were 12,000 bu; sales, 750,000 bu. In sympathy with cables wheat was strong and about ⅝c higher this morning with shorts and commission houses large buyers. May, $1.16 1-16@1.16⅜; July, $1.07⅞.

Rye—Market firm; No. 2 western, 83½c f. o. b. New York.

Corn—Receipts today were 16,875 bu; sales, none.

Beef—Market barely steady.

Pork—Market steady.

Lard—Market steady; western, $9.70@9.80.

Sugar—Raw, market steady; fair refining, $3.11; centrifugal, 96 test, $3.61; molasses sugar, $2.86; refined sugar, market steady; crushed, $5.35; powdered, $4.75; granulated, $4.65.

Petroleum—Market steady; refined, all ports, $8.45@8.50.

Coffee—Market steady; No. 7 Rio, 7⅞@8c; No. 4 Santos, 8⅝c.

Molasses—Market steady; New Orleans, 28@42c.

Indianapolis Grain Prices.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 11.—Cash bids: Wheat—Market stronger; red No. 2, $1.13; No. 3, $1.09; February, $1.12½; March and April, $1.12; wagon, $1.10.

Corn—Market quiet; Nos. 2 and 3, 66c; No. 4, 65c; white mixed and yellow Nos. 2 and 3, 63c; same No. 4, 62c; mixed Nos. 2 and 3, 62¾c; No. 4, 61¾c.

Oats—Market quiet; standard and No. 2 white, 53c; No. 3 white, 52¾c; No. 4, 52c; mixed Nos. 2 and 3, 51½c; No. 4, 51c.

Hay—Market quiet; timothy, choice, $11.50; No. 1, $11.25; No. 1 light clover mixed, $10.25.

Rye—Through billing No. 2, 80c.

LIVE STOCK.

East Buffalo Market.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 11.—Hogs—Receipts today were 3,400 head; shipments today were 2,280 head; shipments to New York today were 1,900 head; official shipments to New York today were 1,710 head; market closing strong, all sold; pigs and light yorkers, $6.75@6.80; other grades, $7.00@7.05; roughs, $5.90@6.00; stags, $4.50@5.00.

Sheep—Receipts today were 4,200 head; market strong; lambs, market higher; tops, $8.00.

Cattle—Market strong; receipts today were 25 head.

Chicago Market.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 11.—Cattle—Receipts today were estimated at 8,000 head; market was steady; beeves, $4.25@7.10; Texas steers, $4.35@5.20; western steers, $4.10@5.10; stockers and feeders, $3.30@5.55; cows and heifers, $1.90@5.70; calves, $5.15@8.00.

Hogs—Receipts today were estimated at 20,000 head; market steady; light, $6.05@6.55; mixed, $6.10@6.70; heavy, $6.20@6.75; roughs, $6.20@6.40; good to choice heavy, $6.40@6.75; pigs, $5.10@6.00; bulk of sales, $6.40@6.65.

Sheep—Receipts estimated today at 12,000 head; market strong; native, $3.25@5.80; western, $3.50@5.80; yearlings, $6.00@7.10; lambs, native, $5.75@7.80; western, $5.75@7.80.

Indianapolis Market.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 11.—Receipts—Hogs, 3,500 head; cattle, 1,200 head; sheep, 100 head.

Hogs—Best heavies, $6.75@7.00; mediums and mixed, $6.50@6.85; good to choice lights, $6.50@6.75; common to good lights, $6.25@6.45; roughs, $5.75@6.25; bulk of sales, $6.50@6.90.

Cincinnati Market.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 11.—Hogs—Receipts today were 2,479 head; market active and 10c higher; butchers and shippers, $6.90@6.95; common, $5.10@6.10.

Cattle—Receipts today were 347 head; market steady and quiet; fair to good shippers, $5.60@6.00; common, $2.60@3.50.

Sheep—Receipts today were 34 head; market steady, at $2.00@5.25; lambs, market steady, at $5.00@7.75.

Pittsburg Market.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 11.—Cattle—Receipts today were light and market steady.

Hogs—Receipts today were 12 double decks; heavies, $7.15@7.20; mediums, $7.05@7.10; heavy yorkers, $6.95@7.00; light yorkers, $6.65@6.75; pigs, $6.40@6.60.

Sheep—$5.60 down; lambs, $7.90 down; veal calves, $9.75 down.

PRODUCE AND POULTRY.

Chicago Market.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 11.—Butter—Market steady; creameries, 22@30c; dairies, 21@25c.

Eggs—Market easy; at mark, cases included, 28½@31½c; firsts, 31½c; prime firsts, 32½c.

Cheese—Market strong; daisies, 16½c; twins, 14½@15c; young Americas, 16c; long horns, 16½c.

Potatoes — Market firm; choice to fancy, 88@90c; fair to good, 85@86c.

Poultry—Market firm; turkeys, 17c; chickens, 13c; springs, 15c.

Veal—Market firm; 60 to 60 pound weights, 7@8c; 60 to 85 pound weights, 8@9c; 85 to 110 pound weights, 9@11c.

New York Market.

New York, Feb. 11.—Butter—Market steady to firm; receipts, 5,624 packages; creamery specials, 32@32½c; official 32c; creamery extras, 31@31½c; third to firsts, 23@30c; held common to special, 22@30c; process common to special, 18@25c; western factory firsts, 21½@22c; western imitation creamery firsts, 23@24c.

Cheese—Market firm; receipts were 525 boxes; state full cream specials, 15@16¼c; do fancy, 14½c; do good to fine, 14c; winter made small best, 13½c; do good to prime, 12½@13¼c; do common to fair, 11@12c; skims, full to specials, 2½@11¾c.

Eggs—Market unsettled; receipts, 8,197 cases; state, Pennsylvania and nearby fancy selected white, 36c; do fair to choice, 34@35c; brown and mixed fancy, 34c; do fair to choice, 32@33c; western firsts, 32c; seconds, 31@31½c.

Poultry—Alive, western chickens, 13c; fowls, 13½c; turkeys, 12@18c; dressed poultry, market steady; western chickens, 12@15c; fowls, 13@15c; turkeys, 16@23c.

OIL.

Toledo Market.

Toledo, O., Feb. 11.—North Lima, $1.04; South Lima and Indiana, 86c.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

The Day on Wall Street.

New York, Feb. 11.—Opening prices of stocks today moved sluggishly upward on a slight volume of trade. Denver & Rio Grande preferred rose a point, and Union Pacific, Rock Island preferred and American Smelting large fractions. Otherwise changes were trivial.

The demand for Union Pacific and Reading gave a stimulus to the whole market. Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis preferred improved 2, Delaware & Hudson and Iowa Central preferred 1½, and Union Pacific, Reading, Erie first preferred, Southern Railway preferred, American Sugar, Pacific Mail and International Harvester 1. American Malting preferred declined 1½ and United States Leather preferred 3 points.

There were strong spots in the market, but the movement in the general list was narrow and upward, except in Peoples Gas, which weakened Louisville & Nashville rose 2½ points, American Sugar 2¼, Southern Railway preferred 1½, Union Pacific 1⅜ and Southern Pacific, Chesapeake & Ohio, American Smelting and Pullman 1 point. Bonds were irregular.

Although there was an entire absence of demand, price were held at the forenoon advance. Utah Copper gained a point.

Individual stocks continued to forge upwards, but the rest of the list was not benefited much by these special movements. Th gain in Atlantic Coast Line reached 5 points, Louisville & Nashville 3¼, Great Northern Ore Certificates 1¾, Peoples Gas 1½ and Toledo, St. Louis & Western preferred 1 point.

The market closed rather easy and dull. There was some light profit taking in the final hour and prices fell back slightly. The volume of dealings fell away to almost nothing. Th day's price changes were thus reduced to fractional limits, outside a fe wstocks.

LOCAL MARKET EPITOME.

The freezing up of the country roads enabled a greater number of farmers to come to the city today and the Barr street wholesale produce market presented its best appearance of the week. The receipts consisted of a few chickens, a little butter and a few eggs, for all of which there were good demands, chickens going at the 11½@12c mark. There were also good demands for onions and potatoes, the latter market advancing eight cents in Chicago during the past ten days. The onion spurt is caused by the limited supply while that on potatoes is a result of cold weather causing the supplies on hand in the bigger markets becoming shortened.

Said G. H. Crouse, of the commission house of G. H. Crouse & Co., this morning: "With Friday, we believe there will be a pretty fair market. The roads are better and the demands are good, guaranteeing the farmer a quick sale when he comes to the city."

Wheat again advanced a cent today, the market running at $1.10 per bushel.

FORT WAYNE MARKETS.

The prevailing prices on Fort Wayne wholesale markets today were as follows:

Barr Street—Wholesale.

Wheat—$1.10 bu.
Corn—60@63c bu.
Oats—48@50c bu.
Barley—55c bu.
Rye—72c bu.
Butter—Creamery, 30c lb; process, 26c lb; prints, 33c lb; dairy, 18@26c lb.
Eggs—27c doz; fresh candled eggs, 27c.
Beans, $2.35 bu.
Onions—70@75c bu.
Apples—$4.75@5.25 bbl.
Honey—12@15c lb.
Turkeys—16@18c lb.
Chickens—11½@12c lb.
Ducks—11@12c lb.
Geese—8@9c lb.
Popcorn—New, 1½c lb; old, 3½c lb.
Rabbits—15@20c each.
Potatoes—80@85c bu.
Hickorynuts—$2.00 bu.
Walnuts—50@75c bu.

Barr Street—Meat.

Hogs—Dressed, 7½@8c lb.
Cattle—Young, dressed, 7½@8½c lb.
Beef—Dressed, 6½@7½c lb.

Grain, Hides and Wool.

Quotations of S. Bash & Co.—Wheat, $1.10 bu; cured hides, 11@12c lb; green hides, 9@10c lb; green calfskins, 14c lb; cured calfskins, 15c lb; horsehides, $3.25@3.50; alsike cloverseed, $7.00@7.50; red cloverseed, $5.00@5.25 bu; wool, washed, 26@28c lb; unwashed, 22@23c lb.

Quotations of Well Brothers & Co.—Wool, washed, 26@28c lb; unwashed, 25@26c lb; medium fleeced, washed, 30@32c light hides, 10c lb; No. 1 cured light hides, 11@12c lb; green calfskins, 14½c; cured calfskins, 16c lb; copper, light, 11c cured calfskins, 16c lb; copper, light, 10c lb; copper, heavy, 11c lb; No. 1 rubber boots and shoes, 7⅞@8c lb; No. 1 tinfoil, 20@21c lb; country mixed rags, 75c cwt; zinc, 3c lb; mixed iron, 40@50c cwt; horsehides, $3.50@3.75. Highest price paid for raw furs

Mill Quotations.

Quotations of Mayflower Mills—Winter wheat, straight, $5.20@5.60; spring wheat patents, $5.50@6.00; rye flour, $4.40@4.80; graham flour, $4.00@4.40; pumpernickle, $4.00@4.40; bran, $24.00 ton; shorts, $21.00 ton; chop feed, $29.00 ton; middlings, $25.00 ton; cornmeal, fine, $1.65@1.75 cwt; cracked corn, $1.35@1.75 cwt; cornmeal, coarse, $1.65@1.75 cwt, screenings No. 1, 70@75c bu; No. 2, 57½@65c bu; corn, 60c bu; oats, 48c bu; wheat, $1.10 bu; barley, 55c bu; rye, 72c bu.

Tresselt & Sons' Quotations—Winter wheat, straights, $5.20@5.60; winter patents, $5.40@6.00; spring wheat patents, $5.25@6.00; rye flour, $4.20@4.40; bran, $25.00 ton; shorts, $25.00 ton; $1.25 cwt; cornmeal, fine, $1.70@1.80 cwt; middlings, $75.00@28.00 ton; chop feed, $34.00 ton; wheat, $1.10 bu; corn, 54@56c bu; oats, 48c bu; rye, 72c bu; barley, 50c bu.

Commission Merchants.

Quotations of J. T. Johnson 304 East Columbia St.—Chickens, 11½c lb; country butter, 23c lb; creamery, 30c lb; eggs, 27c doz; onions, 75c bu; potatoes, 75@85c bu.

Quotations of G. H. Crouse & Co., 235 East Columbia St.—Chickens, alive, 11@11½c lb; dressed, 13c lb; ducks, 11@12c lb; turkeys, 15@16c lb; geese, 9c lb; process creamery, 26c lb; eggs, 26c doz; fresh candled eggs, 26c doz; onions, 50c bu; apples, 75@1.00 bu; honey, 13c lb; potatoes, 80c bu.

Quotations of E. K. Bush, 306 East Columbia St.—Live chickens, 11@11½c lb; ducks, 12c lb; turkeys, 16@18c lb; geese, 9@10c lb; process butter, 23½c lb; creamery butter, 30c lb, country butter, 26c lb; eggs, 28c doz; onions, 75c bu; apples, 75c and $1.50 bu; honey, 12c lb; popcorn, 1½c lb; potatoes, 70@80c bu.

Eckart Packing Company.

Steers—Good to choice steers, $4.75; common to medium steers, 3½@4c.

Heifers—Good to choice heifers, 4½c; fair to medium heifers, 3½@4c.

Cows—Good to choice cows, $3.50; fair to medium cows, 2½@3c.

Bulls—Tops, $3.75; fair to mediums, $3.00@3.25; best veal calves, 6@7c; fair to good heavy calves, 4@5c.

Hogs—Best heavies 180-200 lbs up, $6.25; good to choice lights, 160-180 lbs, $6.00; common to choice light, 130-160 lbs, $5.50@5.75; roughs, $3.50@4.00.

Sheep—Good to choice yearlings, 5c; common to medium yearlings, 2½@3c; good fat sheep, 2½@3c; lambs, 5½@6½c.

Wholesale Shippers.

Nathan & Levy, 117 East Columbia St. Market value of baled hay for the Fort Wayne territory, including New Haven, Monroeville, Baldwin, Hoagland, Sheldon, Abolt, Arcola, Peabody, Spencerville, Grabill, Gar Creek, Woodburn:

No. 1 timothy (baled)..................$8.50
No. 2 timothy (baled)..................7.00
No. 3 timothy (baled)..................5.50
No. 1 clover mixed hay (baled)......7.00
No. 1 clover hay (baled)................6.25
No. 2 clover hay (baled)................4.50
Prime red cloverseed.....................5.00
No. 1 rye straw 4.00
No. 1 oats straw 3.50
No. 1 wheat straw 3.00
Prime timothy seed 1.50
Alsike cloverseed 7.60

City Scales—Retail Prices.

Hay—$10.00 ton.
Corn—63c bu.
Oats—50c bu.

The Coal Market.

Hocking Valley, $4.25; Massillon, $3.25; Jackson, $5.50; Pocahontas, $5.00; forked, Pocahontas, $6.00; Cannel, $6.00; coke, $5.00; West Virginia, $4.50; Indiana, $4.00; anthracite, cash, $7.50; time, $7.75.

NEW AND SECOND HAND STORE.

I pay cash for all kinds of household goods, stoves, etc. Good prices paid, at 1213 Calhoun St. Money loaned on articles of value. Open evenings. L. Tompkinson. Phone 2331. 6-19-y

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PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

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SPECIALTY—Diseases of Women. Telephone 470. Hours—9 a. m. to 3:30 p. m. and 7 to 8 p. m.

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Specialist with Intellect, Education, Skill and Honesty.

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WANTED.

MALE HELP.

WANTED—First-class wood pattern makers. Sheffield Car Co., Three Rivers, Mich. 9-3t

WANTED—Men to qualify for paying positions as Railway Firemen, Motormen, Mail Clerks. Many openings. Practical instruction at low cost. Write for free catalog. State position desired. The Wenthe Railway Corres. Schools, Freeport, Ill., Dept. 541. 8-6t

FEMALE HELP.

WANTED—A girl to assist in house work; no washing. Apply at 1022 East Wayne St. 10-2t

WANTED—Girls for bindery work. Apply foreman of bindery, Fort Wayne Printing Co. 2-10-tf

WANTED—For our Loom End Sale next Saturday, 10 salesmen, 10 salesladies. Frank Dry Goods Co. Apply tomorrow (Friday).

POSITIONS WANTED.

WANTED—Position by young lady in a notion store. Address I. N., care of Sentinel. 10-6t

WANTED—Position doing house work; experienced; will do washing. Apply 2313 Oliver St. 6-6t

WANTED—Work after school, or on Saturday, by boy aged 13. Apply care of Sentinel, J. M. G. 6-6t

WANTED—Position as clerk, or office work of any kind; can give best of reference. Address L. C. Pickle, 1324 McClellan St. 8-6t

WANTED—Position by experienced stenographer; can furnish A1 references, and willing to start at reasonable salary. Address Box 1, care Sentinel. 5-6t

WANTED—Work—I am an experienced hand in painting, varnishing and paper hanging; will work at most anything; all round man. Write or call at 1917 East Creighton Ave. 10-6t

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—Washing to do, either at home or will call. Call at 1313 Boone St. 6-6t

WANTED—To buy second-hand furniture; highest prices paid. Phone 2243; 1410 Calhoun St. 9-20-tf

WANTED—Position as collector for good house. Can furnish best of references. Address F. F., care Sentinel. 11-6t

WANTED—Second-hand bicycle frames, with one-piece hanger; must be diamond frame. Call at Red Line, Transfer corner. 9-3t

WANTED—Persons wishing their furnace or chimney cleaned or repaired, call phone 702 and a competent man will call on you at once. 8-6t

WANTED—To buy a team of draft horses; must be sound and reasonable. Inquire at Canadian Coal Co. office, 1430 Hanna St. 10-3t

WANTED—Everybody to know I have a good paying grocery; also a good restaurant for sale. Come and see me. 7 Swinney Blk. H. Goldstein. 12-12-tf

WANTED—All kinds of clothing bought, sold and exchanged; also rooms for light housekeeping, at 924 Clinton; also at 121 West Jefferson. Call at either place. 2-9-tf

WANTED—Your electrical wiring, fixtures and repair work. Prompt service at all times. P. B. Arnold, 724 Harrison. Office phone 317; residence 2189. Night calls a specialty. 7-1-1y

WANTED—Clerical position in any of the following lines: Bookkeeper, clerk in any business, or work of any kind. Good references. Address Bookkeeper, 1018 Loree St., Lakeside, City. 11-6t

WANTED—Washing to do. Will come to the homes and wash the clothing, or take them home. Also willing to do sweeping, dusting, or any kind of work. Phone 2128, or call at 133 East Washington. 10-21-tf

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Sunday afternoon in Pearl theater a lady's gold watch and leather fob. Finder will be rewarded for returning to 440 East Berry. 2-8-tf

LOST—Fox and beagle hound, black and white, with collar on; answers to name of Teddy. Reward for information. Ora Tonkel, Tel. No. 6164. 2-11-tf

FOUND—We make a specialty of repairing watches and jewelry, and guarantee all work to give satisfaction. L. M. Beck, Jeweler, 924 Calhoun St. Established 1897. 7-1-tf

LOST—Fox terrier, brown, white and black spots, black collar with brass trimmings, answers to name of Jack. Reward if returned to 2302 Fairfield Ave. Phone 6278. 1-22-tf

Public Auction

We will sell to the highest bidder a consignment of

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Beginning at 1:30 p. m. Sale will take place at our store, 205 East Main Street.

We Will Hold Weekly Auctions Every Friday

We will buy and take on consignment all kinds of merchandise.

(Watch for our ads.)

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HAY DEALERS IN MEETING.

Northwestern Ohio Men Discussing Hay Conditions.

A number of hay dealers of northwestern Ohio, members of the hay dealers' association, are in meeting at the Randall hotel this afternoon for the purpose of discussing the conditions in the hay market. The roads have been in such shape for the past few weeks that the big hay centers, such as Pittsburg and Philadelphia are pretty well cleaned up with the result that there is a good demand at these points at a slightly advanced figure. It is believed, however, that this advance is only temporary.

FOR SALE.

REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—A farm of 148 31-100 acres, 6 miles from city; good buildings, well tiled and productive. Price $85.60 per acre.
1-16-tf W. E. DOUD.

FOR SALE—A 6-acre tract on Crescent Ave., ½ square north of Driving Park car line. $4,500. Fred Bayer, corner Barr and Wayne. 2-8-1m

FOR SALE—Most desirable lot in Nuttman Place, facing McCulloch Park; also one on Rivermet Ave., Lakeside. Bargains if sold at once. See owner, 936 Rivermet Ave. 1-26-tf

FOR SALE—New seven-room house, East Wayne St.; bath room, electric light; all in first-class condition. This is a bargain. For price see Geo. W. McKee, 131 East Berry St.; phone 639. 2-5-tf

HOUSES.

FOR SALE—Five-room cottage on Hillside Ave., $1,300. Fred Bayer, corner Barr and Wayne Sts. 5-6-8-11-13

FOR SALE—We offer, for a non-resident, an 8-room house in Central Bloomingdale, price $2,500.
1-16-tf W. E. DOUD.

FOR SALE—An investment, central Lakeside, rents at $240, price $2,600; has 6 rooms, oak finish, furnace, lights and bath.
1-16-tf W. E. DOUD.

FOR SALE—A new residence in south part of city, one block east of Calhoun St., modern; price $3,100, with a cash payment of $500.
1-16-tf W. E. DOUD.

FOR SALE—House and lot; good location; terms reasonable; write or call at 1338 Hayden St. 1-13-tf

FOR SALE—A 6-room house in 200 block, East Pontiac St., good condition; price $1,875.
1-16-tf W. E. DOUD.

FOR SALE—A new modern dwelling at corner of Wildwood and South Wayne Ave. Inquire of Lee J. Ninde, 405 Elektron Bldg. 10-16-tf

FOR SALE—A good 7-room house on Grace Ave., parties leaving city, will make a real bargain for ½ cash.
1-16-tf W. E. DOUD.

FOR SALE—We offer several new highly modern houses in choice locations, for cash or on payment plan. These houses are high-class in every particular, and built by CITY & SUBURBAN REALTY CO.
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FOR SALE—New house, 8 rooms, just finished, on Broadway, a bargain; also 7-room house with large barn, on paved street, worth $2,800; for quick sale price reduced to $2,300. Call at once if you want a genuine bargain. G. W. McKee, 131 East Berry. Phone 639. 2-8-tf

FOR SALE—A fine modern home on Lincoln Ave., near Broadway; owners have left city and property will be sold for $3,500.
1-16-tf W. E. DOUD.

FOR SALE—The large modern residence at 2224 Calhoun St., a splendid modern home which cost $8,500, present price $6,500.
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FOR SALE—Nine-room, all modern house, southeast side; furnace, soft water bath, cellar 24x36, lot large, room enough for another house, on car line. Want an offer; will trade for lot, or smaller house. Address box 28, care Sentinel office. 2-8-tf

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FOR SALE—A few bunches of old newspapers at The Sentinel office. 6-13-tf

FOR SALE—Six head of mares and horses. Must be as represented; cheap; 1410 Calhoun St. 8-20-tf

FOR SALE—Two fresh cows, and calves, gentle and good milkers. St. Joe Stock Barn, North Lakeside. 9-3t

FOR SALE—A good restaurant at your own price; a good proposition. Inquire 7, Swinney Blk. H. Goldstein. 1-23-1m

FOR SALE—Store fixtures; money drawers, cash registers, refrigerators, safes, scales, show cases and trucks. G. M. Bursley & Co. 6-24-1y

FOR SALE—Boston bull terrier, about 1½ years old, friendly with children, good watch dog. Call before 5 p. m. at 213 East Jefferson St. 11-3t

FOR SALE—Here is an opportunity for you to buy a good saw mill. BARGAIN PRICE. Think it over and if interested call on Paul Mfg. Co. 2-9-1m

FOR SALE—Iron bed, mattress and springs, gasoline heater for bath room tank, and child's high chair. Call before 5 p. m. at 213 East Jefferson. 11-3t

FOR SALE—One upright Haines & Co. cabinet grand walnut case piano; one oak piano stool; One upright mahogany case United Makers of New York piano; one piano stool. Also a lot of good second-hand furniture at bargain prices. Cash or payments. Inquire at Fort Wayne Loan Co., Room 2 second floor, 706 Calhoun St. 2-8-tf

MONROE W. FITCH & SONS' REAL ESTATE BULLETIN.

FOR EXCHANGE.

Suburban home of 1 acre, two blocks from city street car, good 7-room house, good barn, some fruit, best of black garden soil; will exchange for small city property.

Five acres, ½ mile from city car line, extra well improved, all kinds of fruit, ½ acre strawberries; price right.

140 acres, 2 miles from good market town, well improved, sandy loam soil, well tiled and fenced; price $5,500.

Vacant lot in Lakeside, corner lot; will sell for part cash, balance $5 per month.

We have the largest list of both farm and city property.

Five-room cottage with large lot on south side for $1,800.

EUGENE M. FITCH and MONROE W. FITCH.
Both Phones. Mgrs. Earth Dept.

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ALL AFFLICTED with a cough of long standing resulting from la grippe or weak lungs or hemorrhages, should try my lung and cough syrup, an old Indiana remedy, made of roots and herbs; it has never been known to fail. Call at 1511 Fairfield Ave. 12-22-tf

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Have buyers for Citizens Trust, Home Telephone and Knitting Mills Stock.

Room 4 Tri-State Building, 133 East Berry Street.

Sentinel Want Ads Pay.

Are You Out of Work? Do You Want to Change Jobs?

FREE!

For the benefit of the readers of The Sentinel, this paper will insert advertisements of men and women looking for work, **FREE FOR THIS WEEK ONLY.** Simply write plainly what kind of a position you wish and bring it to this office and it will cost you absolutely nothing for six insertions. We do this to call attention to our classified page.

REAL ESTATE

Five-room cottage, big rooms, good well, cistern and barn, high lot. 2705 Fox Ave., $1,800.

Nine-room, all modern, up-to-date house; fine South Side location; all improvements; convenient to cars; $3,800.

Nine-room house, Home Ave., fine condition; $3,000.

Five-room cottage, Pontiac, close to Lafayette; water and pavement, good lot; $1,750.

Seven-room house, steam heat, lights, barn, 40x140, ten minutes walk from court house; $2,600.

Nine-room modern house, new, soft water in bath and laundry, finest oak panel stairway in Fort Wayne, house finished throughout in flawless oak, immense veranda, hot water heat, finest of chandeliers, garage cost $500, lot 45x150. Price, $8,500.

1219 Winter St., bath, lights, pavement, $400 down; $2,600.

Eight-room all modern house, fine chandeliers, mantles, etc; west end, east of Broadway; $4,000.

Seven-room house on Gay, near Buchanan, both kinds water, gas piped throughout, fair barn, $500 down; $2,250.

Nine-room house, 611 Archer Ave.; both kinds of water, lights, sewer, cement cellar, fruit, big barn; $3,200.

Nine-room brick house, all modern; pavement paid; only three blocks from court house; bargain price for thirty days only $6,250.

FARMS FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

155-acre farm in Kosciusko county, ½ mile from interurban, ½ mile from good town, two railroads, black soil, well drained, two sets of buildings, $3,500 in trade; $10,850.

Finest corner lot in Forest Park, $500.

Phone 2736. **JOHN H. VESEY,** 10-11 Pixley-Long Blk.

FOR RENT.

HOUSES.

FOR RENT—716 Rockhill, 9 rooms, modern, $30.00 Swayne & Swayne, 111 W. Main St. 12-16-tf

FOR RENT—Cottage in Lakeside; references required. Inquire 219 East Berry St. Phone 675. 2-9-tf

FOR RENT—Modern 6-room house, first-class condition, including gas, 1414 St. Mary's Ave., near Third St. Phone 1804.

FOR RENT—Nine-room house at 708 St. Mary's Ave.; good location for boarding or rooming house; close to Nickel Plate round house. Inquire 723 Cottage Ave., Home phone 6219. 2-10-tf

FOR RENT—No. 1029 West Wayne St., 121 East Taber, 1615 Columbia Ave., and a large list of other houses from $10.00 up.
W. E. DOUD.
1-16-tf. Over Old National Bank.

FOR RENT—House containing 7 rooms, bath room, electric lights and door bell; city and cistern water and gas in house. Inquire of Bittinger & Houk, 22@23 Pixley-Long Blk. 1-25-tf

FLATS.

FOR RENT—Five-room flat with lavatory, soft and hard water, lights. Apply 2122 South Calhoun St.

ROOMS FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Furnished 3-room flat; all modern conveniences; 731 East Washington. 10-2t

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished rooms, suitable for office purposes; 1201 Lafayette St. 2-8-Tu-Th-Sat-tf

FOR RENT—Two furnished front rooms, with modern conveniences; $10 per month each; 921 West Berry St. 11-3t

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with best table board; fine location; at 706 West Berry St., Mrs. Kinniard. Phone 1123. 1-5-tf

FOR RENT—Large front room nicely furnished; hot water heat; soft water bath and electric lights; 219 Douglas Ave., front door. 2-9-tf

FOR RENT—Nice furnished front room, down-stairs, with bath and lights, suitable for two. Call at 1015 Monroe St. With or without board. 11-2t

FOR RENT—1021 West Wayne St.; 319 East Woodland, modern; 1430 Huestis Ave. Schrader & Wilson, Main and Court Sts., first floor. 2-1-tf

City and Farm Property

215 acres in Paulding county, fertile soil, good improvements, valuable timber; will sell at a low price.

Also five-room house, Romy Ave., $1,300.

Also seven-room cottage, Jackson, $2,000. With furnace, electric light and rough plumbing for water for bath; this is a bargain. Inquire of S. F. SWAYNE, 111 West Main. Phone 876.

SEWING MACHINES.

GO TO H. C. HITZEMANN FOR DOMESTIC Sewing Machines, Secondhand Machines, Needles & Supplies for any Machine. NO. 5 ARCADE. Phone 4180—REPAIRING A SPECIALTY

Sentinel Want Ads Pay.

FOR SALE.

REAL ESTATE.

Six-room house, East Taber St., lot 32x150; $1,800.

Seven-room residence, East Suttenfield St., near reservoir; $2,300.

Seven-room house on Taylor St., near Fairfield, $2,300.

Seven-room house, Rudisill Ave., only two squares from car line, 140 feet front, $1,500.

Modern 7-room residence on Fairfield Ave., near Jefferson; $4,000.

Nine-room residence on paved street; bath, electric lights, near St. Peter's Catholic church; $2,900.

Nine-room house on Huestis Ave., west of Broadway; electric lights, lot 45x150, large barn; $2,700.

FARM LANDS.

Fifty-five acres on interurban line, only three miles from city limits. Seven-room house, wind mill, bank barn 38x70, all fenced and tiled, $95 per acre.

Ten acres on interurban line, near city, $1,200.

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Bring in Your Watches, Diamonds and Jewelry or send messenger and we will return Money and ticket.

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Fine residence on East Berry St., at a bargain; must sell quick.

Residences on East Main, Washington and Jefferson Sts.

Residence properties on W. Main, Berry, Wayne, Jefferson and Wilt Sts.

Two residences on Michigan Ave, two on Stophlet St., one on Miner St., one on Fox Ave., two on Broadway, one on Fairfield, all modern.

Three suburban residences with one-acre lots.

Five-acre tract, with house and barn.

Eleven residences in Bloomingdale.

Six residences in southeast part of city.

Business blocks on Main, Columbia and Harrison Sts.

A fine list of Allen county farms.

If you are looking for a home or investment call on.

GEO. L. ASHLEY & SONS.
Phone 2995. Room 29 Pixley-Long Blk.

HOMES FOR THE WORKING MEN, PROVIDED BY L. F. CURDES.

Remember, the rent you are paying to your landlord on payday could be used to pay off your house on the installment plan.

MY FIRST FOUR BARGAINS:

One 5-room Cottage, St. Mary's Avenue...............$1,250
One 7-room House, Oakland Street......................$1,750
One 8-room Brick, Crescent Avenue.....................$2,350
One Small Cottage on Philips Street....................$1,600

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OFFICE—3 and 4 PIXLEY-LONG BLOCK.

The Rurode DRY GOODS CO.

Signs of Spring

Bright, new Spring fabrics will greet you in every department to remind you of bright days to come. The wise buyer will make selections early while stocks are clean and fresh.

THE NEW EMBROIDERIES

Are here in a charming variety of dainty styles. We have never shown such a beautiful assortment at such attractive prices. Everything is here from the pretty baby effects up to the wide flouncings and all-overs. See them now.

1909 Ginghams

A bigger and better assortment of these serviceable fabrics than ever before, and ginghams are going to be in good demand. The styles this season are so handsome that you can be beautifully dressed even in gingham. The price range is wide from 8 cents to 50 cents a yard.

Among the Dress Goods

You will find the season's newest and best fabrics inviting you to make a selection. There is a wide variety to choose from and the styles, qualities and prices cannot be duplicated outside of our great dress goods department.

Never So Pretty

We are speaking of the new **FOULARD SILKS.** Take a glance at them, you will admire them we know. The designs are swell and the prices tempting.

Don't Forget

That as the spring goods come in, the winter goods must go. Still further reductions have been made on all lingering lines of ready-to-wear goods. Out they must go and that soon.

The
Rurode Dry Goods Co.

The Fort Wayne Sentinel

OUR TELEPHONES.
Editorial Rooms 850
Business Rooms 173

THURSDAY, FEB. 11, 1909.

THE WEATHER.

Chicago, Feb. 11.—For Indiana and Illinois—Partly cloudy with slowly rising temperature tonight and Friday.

Lower Michigan—Partly cloudy tonight and Friday with probably snow flurries in west portion; winds becoming light and variable.

CITY BREVITIES.

Miss Pearl Davis was called to her home in Richmond yesterday by the serious illness of her mother. She had been visiting with Mrs. Harris, of 1111 Clinton street.

Four men were accepted for the United States navy by Lieut. Densmore, of Indianapolis, yesterday, and they are Leroy Schrader, Fort Wayne; Oscar L. Shady, Decatur; William P. Brenton, Peru; Harry O. Johnson, Pleasant Lake.

Nine candidates were taken into the local lodge of Loyal Americans last evening, the degree work being conferred by the Kendallville team. A number of visitors from the latter city were in attendance and a delightful evening was spent.

The spring convocation of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite Masons will be held here on the 16th and 17th of March. It will very probably be the last convocation before the completion of the cathedral now being erected at the corner of Washington and Clinton streets.

Foley's Orino Laxative cures constipation and liver trouble and makes the bowels healthy and regular. Orino is superior to pills and tablets as it does not gripe or nauseate. Why take anything else? Dreier & Bro.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE
DEPARTMENT STORE BULLETIN

BIG BARGAINS FOR PAY DAY SHOPPERS.

ROAST BEEF SALE at 6½c POUND. Our supply will be limited, so hurry up and get what you want of this fine bargain.

GRANITEWARE SALE at 10c EACH. See corner window display for Bargains. Regular 25c to 50c articles selling at 10c EACH.

HAMMER SOAP, 14 bars for 25c. This is a dandy bargain, so don't miss it. Cocoaline Soap, 4c cake. Shaving Soap, 4c cake. Toilet Soaps, 4c cake.

CHOCOLATE CREAMS, 10c POUND. Mixed Candy, 7½c pound. Stick Candy, 7½c pound. Gum Drops, 7½c pound, and plenty other good candies at 10c pound.

SPECIAL FLOUR at 65c SK. Michigan Potatoes at 85c Bu. Granulated Sugar at 5c pound. GERMAN SWEET CHOCOLATE at 5c CAKE "for this week." Golden Drip Syrup at 33c gallon. Dandy Rice, 4c pound. Nice Prunes, 4c pound Muir Peaches, 8c pound. Stewing Figs, 7c pound. Seedless Raisins, 7c pound. California Dried Grapes, 4c pound. Buckwheat Flour, 23c sack. Good Butterine, 12½c lb. Lard, 11½c lb. Lard Compound, 8½c pound. Bacon, 12½c pound. Large size Navel Oranges, 28c doz. Smaller ones, 18c doz. Grape Fruit, 5c and 8c each. Tangerines, 3c each. Pineapples, 15c each. Fresh Malaga Grapes, 15c and 25c pound.

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FREE PRESENTS at the premium counter. Save your pink checks. They are valuable. Come and see the pretty pictures we are giving away for 150, 250 and 350 Checks. Come and see us.

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Robert, the ten-year-old son of County Recorder Kelley, is doing nicely at the St. Joseph's hospital after submitting to an operation for appendicitis.

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$12.00 Suits go at.............$6.00

All plain blue and black plain pant suits and all Knickerbocker suits will be discounted 25 per cent.

Great Sale begins tomorrow morning.

PATTERSON-FLETCHER CO.

GAS TURNED ON; SENATOR DEAD.

Second Oklahoma Lawmaker Cannot Survive Inhaling Illuminant.

Guthrie, Okla., Feb. 11.—State Senator G. O. Johnson, of Fort Cobb, is dead and Senator P. J. Yeager, of Tulsa, is dying here as a result of inhaling natural gas from a jet believed to have been accidentally left open. When Johnson and Yeager were called yesterday and made no response their door was broken in and the men were found unconscious. Johnson died before aid could be called. Yeager was only able to make a partial statement to the effect that he arose during the night and lighted the gas.

C. R. Kluger, the jeweler 1060 Virginia Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I was so weak from kidney trouble that I could hardly walk a hundred feet. Four bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy cleared my complexion, cured by backache and the irregularities disappeared, and I can now attend to business every day and recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy to all sufferers, as it cured me after the doctors and other remedies had failed." Dreier & Bro.

GIRL ARRESTS ALLEGED ROBBER.

Alone She Captures Man Who Presents Stolen Ticket at Window.

Chillicothe, Mo., Feb. 11.—Miss Mary McCarty, agent for the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad at Sturgis, northeast of here, yesterday captured single-handed a man whom she accuses of having robbed her ticket office Tuesday night, when several tickets were stolen. When a man appeared at the ticket window today with one of the stolen tickets, Miss McCarty demanded all of them. The man attempted to leave, but she covered him with a revolver and held him prisoner until the arrival of the sheriff.

All broken lines of Children's and Boys' Sweater Vests go at Half Price.

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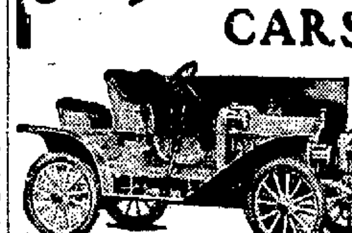

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